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## COX GIVES INFORMATION TO SUPPORT CHARGES REPUBLICANS SEEK TO BUY THE PRESIDENCY; SUBMITS CAMPAIGN QUOTAS OF VARIOUS CITIES

### New York City Raises Two Millions for G. O. P.

### PRESENTS FIGURES

Quota for Smaller Cities, Like Albany, Is \$25,000, Governor Tells Pittsburgh Audience

### DESCRIBES HAYS' METHODS

Says Names of Contributors Were to Be Kept Secret; Condemns "the Shameful Business"

Pittsburgh, Aug. 26.—Information to support his charges that a Republican campaign fund exceeding \$15,000,000 was being raised "in a conspiracy to buy the Presidency," was presented by Governor Cox of Ohio, Democratic Presidential candidate, in addressing a public meeting here tonight.

Governor Cox's data consisted almost entirely of matter taken from the official bulletins of Fred W. Upham of Chicago, treasurer of the Republican National committee, but his chief exhibit was a typewritten list purporting to show Republican campaign quotas imposed on 51 principal cities in 27 states and aggregating \$8,145,000.

Names of local subscribers. Governor Cox said, were ordered kept secret. The quotas, given as \$2,000,000 for New York city, \$750,000 for Chicago, \$500,000 for Philadelphia, and ranging down to \$25,000 for smaller cities like Albany, N. Y., and Atlanta, Ga., were said by Governor Cox to have been announced about the middle of July.

That Senator Harding, his Republican opponent, "was acquainted with the details" of the quota plan and that it was also approved by Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee, was charged by the Democratic candidate.

### Going Over the Top

From subsequent issues of the official bulletin, Governor Cox quoted many reports from Republican workers throughout the country, reporting going "over the top," and in excess of the alleged quotas. Announcement of the \$8,145,000 metropolitan quotas, Governor Cox said, was made by Harry M. Blair, assistant to Treasurer Upham. A meeting was held in Chicago, Governor Cox said, at which Mr. Hays "spoke his blessing."

The governor charged that type-written sheets bearing the 51 cities' quotas were "distributed to those assembled," and he produced one of these alleged quota lists, but did not say how or where it was acquired. The quota plan, he said, was carried out like that of the Liberty Loan campaigns.

That the reputed attempt to raise \$8,145,000 from 51 cities in 27 of the 48 states "is fair evidence that the total national fund will be much larger," was declared by Governor Cox, who said big business men were prominent on the Republican ways and means committee and that the raising of funds was on a business "salesmanship" basis.

Governor Cox also quoted from statements in the Republican Bulletin that state and county organizations were not to be "disturbed or retarded" in their activities.

### Multiplies Upham's Figures.

Calling attention to Chairman Hays' statement that \$3,000,000 was being raised, Governor Cox said that today's report carried a statement from Treasurer Upham that the Republican total would be about \$7,500,000.

"From the evidence which we shall submit," Governor Cox added, "I think you will agree that we are justified in multiplying Mr. Upham's figures by two."

Governor Cox, standing staunchly by his charges that an attempt to purchase the presidency was being made, declared that "the senatorial oil-sparthy and their friends are harking back to the days of Mark Hanna," stating that in the 1896 campaign, which Mr. Hanna managed, \$16,500,000 was spent.

"It was this foul thing," said Governor Cox, "which Theodore Roosevelt brought to an end when he reformed the Republican party. When he was doing it, Warren G. Harding branded him as an Aaron Burr."

"I charge against an assault on the electorate," said Governor Cox. "It can't be hidden; the hosts are marshalled, the munitions are prepared,

but it will not suffice. The net is spread in sight of the quarry.

"What, is it again expected to becloud the public mind on the subject of the league of nations issue and world peace?"

On the question of keeping secret all local subscriptions, Governor Cox quoted from the official bulletin of August 15, as follows:

"The names and amounts subscribed by local donors should not be made public locally."

"I hereby give it wide and non-exclusive publicity," Governor Cox continued. "But why was publication to be in only the organs of the secret society? Why were the names of local contributors not to be made known? Was it because each contribution would carry its own meaning to the voters in the local communities? Or, if secrecy were guaranteed in the communities, were Mr. Hays and Mr. Upham to do the same thing in submitting their returns on box office receipts? Certainly there is some brief. What is it? The public is entitled to know. If Mr. Hays and Mr. Upham do not come forward with the information, the Republican national committee ought to remove them both and insist on a clean bill of health. Furthermore, there should be some explanation of this being made purely a business affair, participated in by business men only. Unexplained, it carries its own condemnation and exposes the purpose of the whole shameful business. It seems that the quota is to be a cent against those who are to benefit, and that the captains of industry, who have answered Mr. Hays' roll call are submitting to taxation with the understanding that they will have some return."

### Plan Approved by Harding.

The quota plan, Governor Cox charged, was approved by Chairman Hays and Treasurer Upham. He added, "It received endorsement from the higher source."

Quoting from a "message" written by Senator Harding, the Republican nominee, in the official bulletin of August 5, Governor Cox said that Senator Harding expressed his gratitude for "the enthusiasm shown in raising the campaign funds."

"That Mr. Harding is acquainted even with the details of the enterprise is evidenced by a subsequent message," said Governor Cox. "It is as follows:—

"Through the fine work of your organization, we are nearing that form of political patriotism which expresses itself in support from every county, every state. Therefore, I want all members of your organization to feel that their efforts are essential to our success in planning for national enlightenment and deeply appreciated by me."

Governor Cox said he depended, "wholly for the purpose of making truth of these charges," upon official documents which came from Republican headquarters. He did not plan to send his data to the senate campaign investigating committee, stating privately that the committee could get its information from his address tonight.

Besides his statement on Republican finances, which he prepared with great care today on the train en route from Evansville, Ind., and which he read to his audience tonight, the Democratic candidate also discussed the league of nations and industrial problems, using settlement of strikes without the bayonet.

### Bayonets at the Factory.

"The 'normalcy' voiced by their candidate as envisioned by his masters," said Governor Cox in this connection, "referring to Senator Harding, 'is bayonets at the factory door, unrestrained profiteering at the gates of the farm, the burden of government on shoulders other than their own, and the federal reserve system annexed to big business. When the American people fully grasp the menace hanging over them, they will shun it as a plague."

Returning to the campaign fund question, Governor Cox reminded his audience in order, he said, "to reach a proper understanding," that recent contributions of large sums by business interests began in the case of Senator Newberry of Michigan.

His present charges, the governor declared, of a fund "so stupendous as to exceed the realm of legitimate expense, means but one thing—immense danger of an odious and corrupt campaign."

Senator Newberry, the candidate continued, was convicted in a Republican state and community, before a Republican judge, grand and petit jury. The Newberry charges, Governor Cox noted, also were denied.

"One would have thought," said the speaker, "that this experience would have had its restraining influence on subsequent events, but the resolve of certain interests to take over the affairs of our government amounts apparently to a mania. Unaffected by the Newberry episode, money was spent after it had been collected from business interests in the pre-convention campaign in such sums that the whole country was shocked by the scandal. Millions of dollars admitted were expended in behalf of its candidate."

The Newberry affair and the pre-

liminary of the national convention are now admitted public facts. They are recounted as first symptoms of iniquitous contagion that continued, judging the future by the past, the people themselves must bring it to an end. Nothing apparently except the stiff shock of expressed public condemnation at the polls will be effective. The Newberry lesson was heeded by the interests behind presidential candidates in the spring and early summer of 1920, and the admonition which the multiplied circumstances of the very recent past would ordinarily carry to the normal mind is insufficient to stay the hand of greed, of conspiracy and corruption, which it is now my duty to expose."

Governor Cox recited how the Republican way and means committee was organized last December and its work, he said, was "vigorously pushed from the very first." Its local chairmen, he said, "were business men, in most instances very wealthy men."

### Commercial Enthusiasm

"It took on the impetus of a commercial enthusiasm," Governor Cox continued. "The philosophy running through all the literature is emphasized by the recurrent terms of salesmanship. The plan was not only to organize every state, but every county in the United States. Definite quotas were established in precisely the same manner as the Liberty Loan campaigns were conducted, population and bank deposits apparently being the base of calculations. In addition to the local chairmen, state managers were engaged, traveling representatives operated between them and the community organizations; salaries running as high as \$500 a week and expenses have been paid in order to create and maintain enthusiasm and morale. An official document was published, intended as it will later be shown, for the eyes exclusively of the men and corporations who are a part of the movement."

Governor Cox quoted at length from many issues of the Upham "Bulletin." The first issue, of July 17, the candidate said, contained this sentence: "Nobody is going to have anything to do with this bulletin who has not had actual experience in digging up money in the field."

A statement by Mr. Upham said that Senator Harding's election "was the job" and involved "the simplest principles of salesmanship, knowledge in our goods, faith in our goods, tact and energy in presenting our goods," Governor Cox declared.

Describing the fund managers as "money diggers," Governor Cox said Mr. Upham's assistants were Harry M. Blair, Edwin L. Quarles, assistant to Mr. Blair; C. W. Lee, eastern division director; Henry E. Owen, central division director; Charles A. McKean, western division director, and E. D. Fitzgerald, office manager.

### Gets Big City Quotas First.

Governor Cox read a bulletin statement by Mr. Blair that the efforts for funds in 41 states would be directed from main headquarters.

"For the present," said Mr. Blair's statement, "our efforts will be directed primarily to producing the quotas of the larger cities. This does not mean that present state and county organizations will be disturbed or retarded in their activities."

"The quotas which Mr. Blair had in mind were very soon announced, said Governor Cox. The meeting was held in Chicago. Mr. Hays addressed it and spoke his blessing. Typewritten sheets were distributed to those assembled. I produce herewith one of those sheets which carries quotas as indicated."

At this point, Governor Cox presented a list of 51 large cities, saying the allotments would be 31 cents per capita for each man, woman and child of their 25,500,000 population.

### State Only Partly Represented.

"The sum of \$8,145,000 is to come not from 27 states, but from the largest cities in 27 states," said the governor. "New York state is represented by only six places, including New York city, Buffalo, Rochester and Albany, and yet Franklin D. Roosevelt announces that the county of Dutchess, a suburban and rural community, was assessed \$32,000. But let us see whether the quotas placed upon the larger cities were exceeded. Again, we come for proof to the official bulletin, which, under date of August 24, says: 'Boston, Mass., had a 99 per cent attendance at an organization meeting on August 4. This is an excellent record for a hot day. Real interest was aroused. Senator Weeks inspired them with the understanding of the situation and they agreed to produce.'"

"That they did produce is proved by the bulletin of August 10, 1920, when telegrams received that day were published. Among others which we see is the following: 'Metropolitan Boston wished to contribute more than 250 per cent of its original quota,' which would turn the Boston fund from \$200,000 to \$750,000."

### The Fund in Ohio.

"The Columbus, Ohio, quota is \$100,000, and yet in the bulletin of August 10, a telegram from Columbus is inserted carrying these reassuring words: 'Then, too, the end is not yet,

## SOCIALISTS PLAN TO LET DEBS PARDON SELF

Chicago, Aug. 26.—If the Socialist ticket should win in the fall elections, there would be no difficulty about getting Eugene V. Debs, candidate for President, out of Atlanta penitentiary, Seymour Steadman, the Vice Presidential candidate, announced today.

"If the Socialists have a majority in the electoral college, I can be inaugurated President in Debs' stead and can then, by virtue of my office, pardon Debs, restoring him to his rights, including his right to be President. Or the inauguration can be held in Atlanta penitentiary and Debs can pardon himself."

## FRESH RED TROOPS SEEK TO HALT POLES

Relieved from Finnish Front by Soviet-Finnish Treaty, They Are Rushed Toward Grodno

(By the Associated Press.)

Warsaw, Aug. 26.—Fresh Bolshevik forces relieved from the Finnish frontier have been run toward Grodno in an endeavor to head off the Polish advances, and, if possible, to rescue thousands of the Red army hemmed in by the Poles, according to tonight's military information.

Owing to the Soviet-Finnish peace treaty, thousands of Reds, it is reported, are being transferred to the Polish front.

It is estimated here that between 25,000 and 30,000 Reds have sought refuge in Prussia. At several places, the Germans, it is asserted, fired on the Reds, driving them back into Poland, where thousands are gradually being surrounded by the Poles in their northern sweep.

Various enemy detachments that could not cut their way through the Polish girdle are crossing into German territory with their supplies. The Poles took 600 prisoners in the fighting north of Ostrolenka. They have also occupied Ostrowiec. A Polish detachment east of Lemberg has occupied Zadorze and Przecyslawny.

## U. S. S. INDIANA, BATTLE SCARRED VETERAN, TO GO

Washington, Aug. 26.—Another old time American fighting ship—the battleship Indiana—is to be sacrificed to the cause of naval efficiency. In Lower Chesapeake bay, September, the vessel will be subjected to a rain of bombs from a squadron of naval seaplanes.

This will be the first actual test to be conducted by any navy to show the possibility of direct attack upon warships from the air, according to American naval officers.

The Indiana was one of the first battleships of the nation and recently was placed out of commission to give way for a new superdreadnought of the same name. She played an important part in the destruction of Cervera's fleet at Santiago.

## U. S. MUNITIONS SHIP HELD.

Brussels, Aug. 26.—The Socialist organ, LePeuple, says it hears that the minister of railroads and the minister of marine have arrived at Antwerp and decided not to allow the American steamer Marcella, which is carrying munitions for Poland, to leave the harbor there.

for it is probable the sum of \$150,000 for the state and national treasury will stand to the credit of Columbus before the first day of September? Then a little color was given to the story. Proud of achievement, Henry E. Owen, the division director who sent the telegram, evidenced his pride in how things were going by submitting details as to just how it was accomplished. Mr. Owen said: This is how it was done: Two busy men gave two hours a day for two consecutive days. Interviewing and soliciting, and they turned the trick. That this was intended as a hint to the "money diggers" is shown by the paragraph in Mr. Owen's telegram which says: "Every state director, every city director, can do like Kelly did: get the right man to see the right people. Do it quickly and systematically."

Contrary to an intention announced previously, Governor Cox added that he "intended to pass this evidence" to the senate campaign investigating committee.

### Cox Accepts Hays' "Challenge."

"That the eight million dollar fund is not to be the final total in the country at large has already been clearly proved by the statement of Mr. Blair himself," Governor Cox said. "Further information is supplied by official Republican documents."

Governor Cox closed his statement on contributions thus: "When my charge of a corruption fund was first made, Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee, made a distinct threat in these words: 'At the instance of our adversaries, this campaign is finally resolved into a campaign of personal characters. We know of no reason aside from natural desire why we should not meet that issue as readily as any other.'"

"I renew the charges and accept the challenge."

## SUFFRAGE NOW IN FULL FORCE

Proclamation Announcing Amendment Has Been Ratified, Signed Yesterday by Sec. Colby

## CEREMONY LACKING

Official Attaches Signature in His Home, Disappointing Women Who Planned Celebration

Washington, Aug. 26.—The proclamation announcing officially that the suffrage amendment to the constitution had been ratified was signed today by Secretary Colby of the state department.

The document was signed at 5 o'clock this morning at Mr. Colby's home, when the certificate from Governor Roberts that the Tennessee legislature had ratified the amendment was received. Secretary Colby announced his action on his arrival at his office later.

The announcement disappointed a group of suffrage workers from headquarters of the National Woman's party, who had gathered at the state department hoping to be present when Mr. Colby attached his signature to the proclamation. Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the party, was among the number.

She planned to go today to New York to call a meeting of the executive committee of the party at which the date for the national convention to fix future policy will be decided.

Secretary Colby later sent word to the Woman's party leaders that he would see the suffrage leaders at his office if they desired. Word was sent back that Miss Paul was preparing to leave for New York; that the other leaders already had returned to their homes and the invitation could not be accepted.

### Colby Prepares Statement.

Secretary Colby has prepared a statement regarding ratification of the suffrage amendment which he planned to read to the officials of the National Woman's party had they accepted the invitation. The women gave evidence of keen disappointment in not having had an opportunity to make something of a ceremony out of the signing of the proclamation and went back to headquarters planning an independent jubilation.

"When the secretary's invitation to return to his office was declined, another party of suffrage leaders appeared at the department. They were officials and members of the National American Woman Suffrage association, headed by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who is on her way to New York from Nashville. The invitation to hear Mr. Colby's statement was promptly accepted by this group and they filed into his office for the purpose.

Secretary Colby's statement follows:—

"The certified record of the action of the legislature of the state of Tennessee on the suffrage amendment was received by mail this morning. Immediately on its receipt the record was brought to my house. This was in compliance with my directions and in accordance with numerous requests for prompt action. I thereupon signed the certificate required of the secretary of state this morning at 3 o'clock in the presence of F. K. Nielsen, the solicitor of the state department, and Charles L. Cook, also of the state department. The seal of the United States has been duly affixed to the certificate and the suffrage amendment is now the nineteenth amendment of the constitution."

### Congratulates Women of Country.

"It was decided not to accompany the simple ministerial action on my part with any ceremony or setting. This secondary aspect of the subject has, regretfully, been the source of considerable contention as to who shall participate in it and who shall not. Inasmuch as I am not interested in the aftermath of any of the factions or collisions which may have been developed in the long struggle for the ratification of the amendment, I contented myself with the performance in the simplest manner of the duties devolved upon me under the law."

"I congratulate the women of the country upon the successful culmination of their efforts which have been sustained in the face of many discouragements and which have now conducted them to the achievement of that great object."

"The day marks the day of the opening of a great and new era in the political life of the nation. I confidently believe that every salutary, forward and upward force in our public life will receive fresh vigor and reinforcement from the enfranchisement of the women of the country."

"To the leaders of this great movement I tender my sincere congratulations. To every one, from the President, who uttered the call to duty, whenever the cause seemed to falter, to the humblest worker in this great movement, but of posterity will be freely given."

The proclamation recounts the progress by which the new article 19 of the constitution was presented and ratified, naming the ratifying states and continues: "Now, therefore, be it known that I, and purposes as a part of the constitution of the United States."

## TWO MURDERERS ARE PUT TO DEATH AT SING SING

Ossining, Aug. 26.—Two convicted murderers, John Egan and Frank Kelly, a negro, were put to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison tonight.

Egan, a one-legged man, was convicted of killing Louis Klein, a clerk in a Bronx cigar store. Kelly killed Katherine Dunn, a housemaid, who sought to prevent him from robbing her employer's residence in Brooklyn.

## LABOR SEEKS TO END HOUSING DIFFICULTY

Urges Creation of State Commission to Act on Shortage—New York Federation Elects Officers

Binghamton, Aug. 26.—Resolutions seeking a solution of the housing problem were adopted here late this afternoon at the closing of the annual convention of the New York State Federation of Labor.

Summarized briefly, these recommendations contain the following provisions:—

Exemption from taxation of mortgage loans.

Use of public funds for the erection of homes.

Rentals not to give income after ten per cent on property valuation.

Creation of state housing commission, with branches in the cities, and representation of organized labor on this commission.

Distribution of moving and leasing over the entire year.

Investigation of the United States Steel corporation with reference to its alleged activities in restraining trade by attempting to destroy unionism.

Endorsement of Governor Smith for his call of the special session of the legislature to consider the housing problem.

In its report to the convention, which was unanimously accepted, the resolutions committee of the federation acted favorably upon the resolution proposed by a representative of the Eastern and Gulf Safford's association asking for the immediate recognition of Soviet Russia by the United States. Among other resolutions adopted was one asking for an amendment to the state law lessening the waiting period for compensation from 14 days to seven.

Officers of the federation were elected this afternoon as follows: President, James P. Holland, New York city; vice-presidents, T. M. Giffin of Troy, Thomas Curds of New York city, George C. King of Buffalo, Emanuel Koveleski of Rochester, Joseph A. Mullany of Elmhurst, Joseph Dehan of New York city, Harry A. Engle of Schenectady, Nellie Kelly of Syracuse, John Sullivan of New York city, John C. Imhoff of New York city, and William F. Kehoe of New York city; secretary-treasurer, Edward A. Bates of Utica; legislative committee, Thomas D. Fitzgerald, chairman, of Albany, William L. Ferguson of Oneida, Martin Scheiberling of Albany, John M. Ohanion of Troy and William Brown of Utica.

## GERMANS DESTROY PLANES CONFISCATED BY ALLIES

London, Aug. 26.—Munitions and hydro-airplanes valued at nearly \$2,000,000, which recently were confiscated by the Entente commission in the Pilschke works at the Spree river, were destroyed last evening by the 3,000 employees, many of whom are Communists, says a Berlin dispatch to the London Times.

The Reichswehr was summoned out but proved powerless to act. The government is sending representatives to the scene.

### FEDERAL EMPLOYEES QUIT.

New York, Aug. 26.—Fifty engineers and mechanics employed in the government buildings in this district—about one-third of the entire force—today tendered their resignations to A. B. Fry, supervising chief engineer. These resignations are to become effective September 1 unless wage increases are made between now and that date.

Fry said the men insist on rates of pay fixed by the Macy award two years ago. He added that by order of the secretary of the treasury advertisements had been placed to obtain recruits to fill any vacancies.

### APPEALS FOR "IRISH PATRIOT."

Paris, Aug. 26.—George Gavan Duffy, Irish member of parliament, who is the "Irish patriot" envoy in France, today published a letter he had sent to Premier Millerand yesterday appealing to France to intervene for the release of Lord Mayor McCawley. The letter says that France saved the British Empire by her sacrifices during the World war and "were a suggestion made to the London government, it would save the life of an Irish patriot."

### APPROVE BIG LOAN TO ERIE.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Approval was given by the Interstate Commerce commission today for a loan of \$8,000,000 to the Erie railroad to assist in financing 1920 maturities aggregating \$23,515,000, which the commissioner in another order issued at the same time authorized the Erie to extend.

## EUROPE HOPES HARDING WINS

Would Welcome Peace Settlement Promised by Republican Candidate, Ex-Ambassador Says

## WILSON DISCREDITED

All Europe Knows He Is Responsible for Peace Failure, Herrick Says in Statement

Marion, Ohio, Aug. 26.—Present day opinion of European statesmen of the part this nation should take in the peace settlement were laid before Senator Harding today for his consideration in shaping details of a Republican peace program.

The report was brought to the nominee by Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France who has just returned from a series of conferences with the public men of various nations of Western Europe. In a public statement, Mr. Herrick said the Western European statesmen now were hoping for a return of the Republican party to power and would welcome the peace settlement proposed by Senator Harding.

The former ambassador also intimated that the world court plan now being formulated abroad by Elihu Root and the representatives of European nations would have a large place in the party's program as finally placed before the country.

### League Also Discussed.

The league of nations issue also was discussed by the candidate today with former Senator Sutherland of Utah, a distinguished lawyer and a close student of international affairs. To both his callers, Senator Harding is understood to have outlined the speech he is to make here Saturday detailing his foreign policy and elaborating on his proposal for a new association of nations to preserve world concord.

That the nation must not hold aloof but must "play its proper part" in the world's affairs, was emphasized by the nominee in a short talk late in the day to a group of Marion county school teachers, who called on him. He declared himself as anxious as anyone to see peace preserved, but he added that the republic could establish its real mission in the world only if it remained unfettered.

In his speech, Senator Harding also promised to use his influence for higher school standards and for better pay for teachers.

Mr. Herrick spent most of the day at the Harding home and related in detail to the candidate the sentiment he had found abroad as a result of the senate's failure to ratify the peace treaty. He declared the position of the Republican party now was fully understood in Europe, while President Wilson had been discredited because the nation has not accepted his peace plan.

"If President Wilson had sent a peace commission of properly-equipped delegates," said Mr. Herrick, "and they had made the basis of a sound peace, say in January of 1919, Europe would have agreed readily. For the tragic failure to accomplish this, the President alone was responsible, and all Europe now knows it. I talked with very many of the foremost statesmen of Europe and I know that this statement reflects their attitude."

### President Held Responsible.

"They persistently inquire why we did not submit to them the reservations adopted by the senate. Without exception, they insisted that if they had been submitted to them, they would instantly have acquiesced in them. I explained time and again that the senate had no channel through which it can communicate over the head of the president with foreign governments."

"As to the military alliance provided under Article X of the league covenant, the Russo-Polish war has been complete proof of its utter inefficiency. England could not send troops because of domestic political conditions in England; we could not send them. France was not able to furnish the necessary force. At the first test the military alliance proved a complete failure and all the statesmen and publicists of Europe acknowledge the fact."

"The people and the statesmen of Western Europe now realize that their hope lies in the return of the Republican party to power. They know that the Republican party has always been the one with vision and understanding of international affairs. They understand that with the Republican party again in power it will be ready to cooperate with them to stop the spread of Bolshevism. They are sure that we will shrink no responsibility, and their earnest desire is that an American government willing and able to execute the real mandate of the American people will presently assume authority."

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## Results of Yesterday's Games

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

## McHENRY'S HOMER DID IT.

Brings in Two Runs and Gives St. Louis 2-1 Win Over Giants.

St. Louis, Aug. 26. — McHenry's home run in the fourth inning, which drove in Stock, who had walked, gave St. Louis a 2 to 1 victory over New York today.

**Batteries** — Toney, Benton, Winners and Snyder; Luque and Clemens.

## ROBINS TAKE FAST GAME.

Trim Chicago to Tune of 5 to 3 — Myers' Hitting Features.

Chicago, Aug. 26. — Brooklyn won a fast and close game from Chicago today, 5 to 3. Myers' hitting, with two doubles and a single, featured. Brooklyn ... 2 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 — 5 12 0 Chicago ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 3 7 1

**Batteries** — Cadore and Miller; Vaughn, Bailey and O'Farrell.

## CHAMPIONS DOWNED AGAIN.

Philadelphia Wins Fast Game of Series from Cincinnati, 7-0.

Cincinnati, Aug. 26. — Philadelphia won the last game of the series from Cincinnati today, 7 to 0. Philadelphia ... 2 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 — 7 7 2 Cincinnati ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 0 4 6

**Batteries** — Hubbell and Witherow; Ring, Salles and Wingo.

## PIRATES SUBDUCE BOSTON.

Beaver's Only Run Is Homer by Powell, Who Hit First Ball Pitched.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 26. — Pittsburgh defeated Boston here today, 2 to 1. Powell hit the first ball pitched for a home run. Boston ... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 1 4 1 Pittsburgh ... 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 — 2 7 1

**Batteries** — McQuillan and O'Neill; Adams and Schmidt.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

## ATHLETICS BUNCH HITS.

Take Second Straight Game from Cleveland Indians, 3 to 2.

Philadelphia, Aug. 26. — Philadelphia bunched hits off Caldwell in the early innings today and won its second straight game from Cleveland, 3 to 2. Philadelphia ... 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 — 2 7 2 Cleveland ... 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 — 3 7 4

**Batteries** — Caldwell and O'Neill; Keefe and Perkins.

## BABE RUTH DOES IT AGAIN.

Clouts Out Forty-Fourth Homer in Game Chicago Wins, 16-4.

New York, Aug. 26. — Chicago opened its final series here today and defeated New York, 16 to 4. The visitors batted three Yankee pitchers for a total of 17 hits. Babe Ruth made his forty-fourth home run in the first inning, hitting the ball into the lower rightfield stands. Chicago ... 4 0 0 3 0 0 4 5 0 — 16 17 1 New York ... 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 4 9 1

**Batteries** — Kerr and Schalk; McGrigge, Collin, McGraw and Ruel.

## BROWNS SHUT OUT BOSTON.

St. Louis Even Up the Series by an 8-0 Victory.

Boston, Aug. 26. — St. Louis evened the series by shutting out Boston today. Wellman was invincible. St. Louis ... 0 0 0 0 4 1 2 0 0 — 8 16 0 Boston ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 0 8 1

**Batteries** — Wellman and Severeid; Hoyt, Jones and Schang.

## SENATORS AND TIGERS DIVIDE.

Washington Nabs First in Thirteenth, 3-2, But Drops Second.

Washington, Aug. 26. — Washington broke even in a double header with Detroit here today, the locals taking the first game, 3 to 2, in a 13-inning battle, but losing the second. Score, first game. Detroit ... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 2 7 2 Washington ... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 — 3 14 0

**Batteries** — Daus and Starace; Shaw, Erickson and Gharrett.

## EASTERN LEAGUE

Albany, 6; Bridgeport, 5. (11 innings).

Bridgeport, 7; Albany, 6. (Second game).

New Haven, 5; Waterbury, 2.

New Haven, 8; Waterbury, 2. (Second game).

Springfield, 4; Worcester, 3.

Worcester, 7; Springfield, 2. (Second game).

Pittsfield, 3; Hartford, 2.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul, 6; Columbus, 6.

Columbus, 4; St. Paul, 2. (Second game).

Louisville, 3; Kansas City, 2.

Minneapolis, 10; Toledo, 0.

Indianapolis, 5; Milwaukee, 5. (15 innings).

## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Toronto, 11; Jersey City, 9.

Rochester, 2; Reading, 1.

Akron, 11; Baltimore, 3.

Syracuse, 2; Buffalo, 1.

Buffalo, 13; Syracuse, 4. (Second game).

## STANDING OF THE TEAMS

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Won Lost P.C.

Cincinnati ... 6 49 .574

Brooklyn ... 48 51 .572

New York ... 64 52 .554

Pittsburgh ... 59 57 .509

Chicago ... 69 62 .482

St. Louis ... 57 62 .479

Boston ... 47 65 .420

Philadelphia ... 48 70 .407

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago ... 77 44 .636

Cleveland ... 73 47 .599

New York ... 74 49 .592

St. Louis ... 59 57 .509

Boston ... 57 62 .479

Washington ... 50 64 .438

Detroit ... 47 72 .395

Philadelphia ... 39 81 .325

## KNOCK MOONEY OUT OF BOX.

House of David Team Trimmed by the Endicott-Johnson Bunch.

The House of David ball team, which defeated the Cubs here on Wednesday in a ten-inning game, met with a crushing defeat at the hands of the E-J aggregation at Johnson City yesterday afternoon, when their pet twirler, the \$25,000 long haired beauty, was knocked out of the box in the first round after five hits and four runs had been garnered off his delivery. Conifery was sent in to relieve him and he did better, holding the shoemakers to three runs for the rest of the game. The best the bewhiskered bunch could do off Wein-garten were a couple of runs, making the final score 7 to 2. The Shoetown cranks were much elated over this victory.

## CUBS LOSE TEN INNING GAME

With Score 5 to 1 in Their Favor, Stamford Allowed to Make Four in Ninth — In Tenth Cubs Grab a Couple but Stamford Takes Three, Winning the Game.

The Cubs lost to Stamford in a ten-inning contest at Stamford yesterday, after thrice having the game in their hands. It was a hard game to lose and while some may say it never should have been lost and will tell you why, yet such is the uncertainty of the game. If a twirler is yanked he should not have been and if he is not pulled at the first signal of distress then he should have been. There are too many ifs in this particular game. The story of the game will leave you free to determine where the game was lost—if you can.

The Cubs started off savagely in the first. With one down, Dales, who hit safely four out of five times at bat made a double and Reiter followed with a single and a balk advanced him a peg. Marone was retired, pitcher to first, and then Dempsey met one squarely and the ball rolled out into the bushes giving him a homer and scoring Reiter ahead of him. Tryon fled out. Net result three runs.

The Stamford boys scored one in the second on a single by Deitzen and a double by Connolly. Three scattered singles and as many bases on balls was all they could do until the ninth. The Cubs, however, added a brace of runs in the seventh. After Blowers had been retired "Jimmie" Boylan sent out a corking single and Lantzis was given a life by an error by Webb at short. Duval drew a pass and Dales, whose clear eye helped out so materially, sent out a timely single and Boylan and Lantzis scored.

In the ninth, Reiter erred on Connolly's grounder, he being the first up. Then Ketchin made a single. Webb and Lawson were retired handily but Winsor singled, sending Connolly across Bauswein followed with a two bagger, sending Ketchin across and Winsor to third. At this point Lantzis, who had come all the way from Jeff Tesreau's team at New York to twirl the game, was pulled and Kinners was sent in. Then Blowers, who a moment before had made a fine catch after a hard run of Lawson's drive, let a much easier one from Jacobs roll out of his glove, scoring Bauswein and the score was tied. Though Lantzis singled Camp was retired.

In the tenth frame the Cubs came back strong. Dales, first up, singled and Reiter drew a pass. Marone and Dempsey were out by the aerial route, but Tryon came across with a timely single and Dales and Reiter dented the plate. The large crowd of Oneonta fans present were elated and thines looked rosy.

The bright line quickly disappeared, however. Connolly first up made a single and then Kinners lost the location of the plate and two batsmen were successively passed, filling the bases. Then Kinners was pulled out and Paul Gardner was sent in to pull the team out of the hole. He passed Lawson, forcing one run in. Winsor hit to Marone, who made the put out unexpected, but in fielding the ball to

the home plate he threw wide and low and Ketchin and Webb, who followed closely, crossed the plate with the using and winning runs and the game was over, with one out.

The tabulated figures follow:

ONEONTA CLUBS	AB	R	H	POA	E
Duval, 2b.	3	0	1	1	4
Dales, cf.	5	2	4	1	0
Reiter, 3b.	4	2	3	4	2
Marone, 1b.	4	0	2	10	9
Dempsey, ss.	5	1	1	1	4
Tryon, rf.	5	0	1	9	0
Blowers, 1c.	5	0	1	4	1
Boylan, c.	4	1	1	6	2
Lantzis, p.	4	1	9	1	3
Totals	39	7	12	25	13

STAMFORD—AB R H POA E

Webb, ss.	5	1	1	3	4
Lawson, 2b.	5	0	1	2	2
Winsor, c.	5	1	1	2	0
Bauswein, p.	5	1	1	1	2
Jacobs, 1b.	5	0	0	10	9
Deitzen, cf.	4	1	2	1	0
Camp, 3b.	4	0	1	2	1
Connolly, rf.	4	2	3	0	0
Ketchin, 1c.	2	1	1	1	0
Totals	39	8	11	30	13

Score by innings: Oneonta Clubs ... 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 6 6 — 7 Stamford ... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 — 3

Summary—Earned runs, Stamford, 1; Oneonta, 2. Two base hits, Dales, Connolly, Lawson, Bauswein. Three base hits, Marone. Home run, Dempsey. Sacrifice hit, Camp. Stolen bases, Duval, Dales. Struck out, by Bauswein, 9; by Lantzis, 4. Base on balls, off Bauswein, 2; off Lantzis, 5; off Kinners, 3. Balks, Bauswein, 1.

## WANDERERS WIN AGAIN.

Shut Out Shop Team, 1 to 0, in Fast Game at Neahwa Park.

What was undoubtedly one of the best, if not the best, game so far played in the local Twilight league, took place last evening at Neahwa park when the Wanderers defeated the Shops, 1 to 0. The Wanderers put up a fast and clean game, not an error being charged against them, and their pitcher, Barr, completely phased the D. & H. men, allowing but two hits in all the seven innings.

The only run of the game was scored by Tarbox, who singled, stole second, and reached home on two wild throws by Shop players. The Shopmen were never threatening, and it was the Wanderers' game all the way through. The score by innings follows:

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**Batteries** — Barr and Perry; Keefe and Kniskern.

Struck out—by Barr, 12; by Keeble, 13. Base on balls—Off Barr, 1; off Keeble, 0. Two base hits, Fitzgerald and Keeble. Singles — VanHousen, Tarbox, Palmer and Perry. Tonight, the Reds and Y. M. C. A. nine will cross bats. There was a good-sized crowd at last evening's game, and it was a contest well worth seeing. Everyone is welcome to witness the games free of charge. In Wednesday's game, the Reds beat the Nine Spots, 5 to 1.

The teams in the league now stand as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Y. M. C. A.	3	0	1.000
Wanderers	4	1	.800
Shops	2	1	.667
Reds	2	2	.500
Italian Stars	1	3	.250
Nine Spots	0	4	.000

## COOPERSTOWN IS DEFEATED.

Fort Plain Aggregation Carries Off Game to Tune of 8 to 7.

Cooperstown, Aug. 26.—The Cooperstown baseball aggregation suffered another defeat today, when the speedy Fort Plain aggregation came here and carried off the honors to the tune of 8 to 7. The game was a close one throughout, despite the erratic first and third innings, when the teams brought in most of their runs.

The visitors batted Webster hard in the opening round and brought in four runs. Turton was put in as substitute for Webster in the next inning and he had better luck in holding Fort Plain. In the third round, Cooperstown started an impromptu sitting rally and five runners crossed the home plate, thus making the score 6 to 5 in favor of the locals. The visitors caught up in the fourth, however, an errant Cooperstown in the sixth. The locals tried to tie it up again in the ninth but failed by a narrow margin.

The game, which was played on Doubledar field, "the birthplace of baseball," was featured by five running catches by Walters of Fort Plain and Smith of Cooperstown. The fund for the purchase of this field now totals \$2,500, and an effort will be made to raise the additional \$2,500 needed within the next two or three weeks.

The next local game will be on Saturday, when the Lion K. of C. will come here to battle Cooperstown.

The score of today's game follows: Fort Plain ... 4 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 8 — 15 2 Cooperstown ... 1 0 5 0 0 0 9 7 — 13 2

**Batteries**—Vosburgh and Fox. Webster, Turton and Winsor.

Three base hits—Hickner of Cooperstown. Walters of Fort Plain. Stolen bases—Smith and Hickey of Cooperstown. Shell and Walters of Fort Plain. Struck out—by Vosburgh 11, by Turton 7. Base on balls—of Vosburgh 1, off Turton 2. Double play—Smith to Cortez. Umpires—Rarick and Russell.

## Western Horses For Sale.

Carload just received consisting of general purpose horses, four to seven years old. Don't fail to attend the regular auction sale on Friday, August 27, at 1 o'clock, standard time. Horses, cows and personal property. H. W. Sheldon, Oneonta, N. Y.

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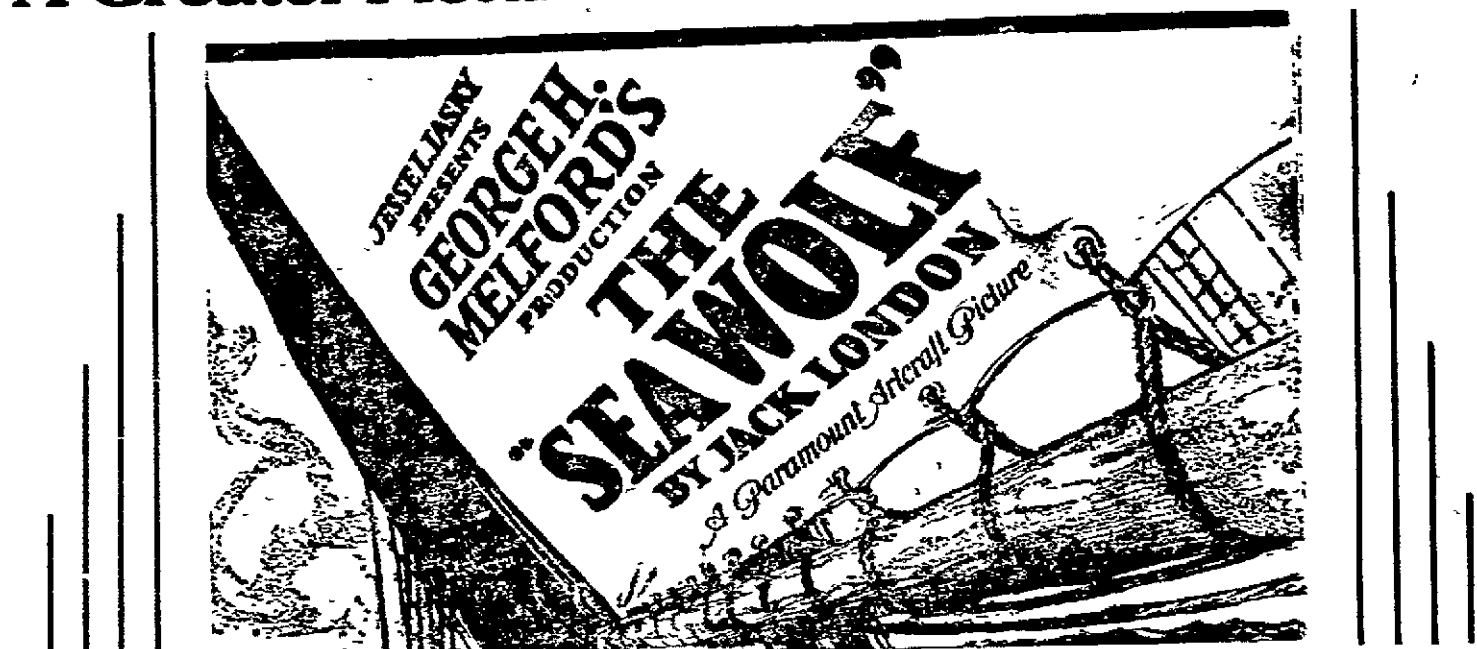
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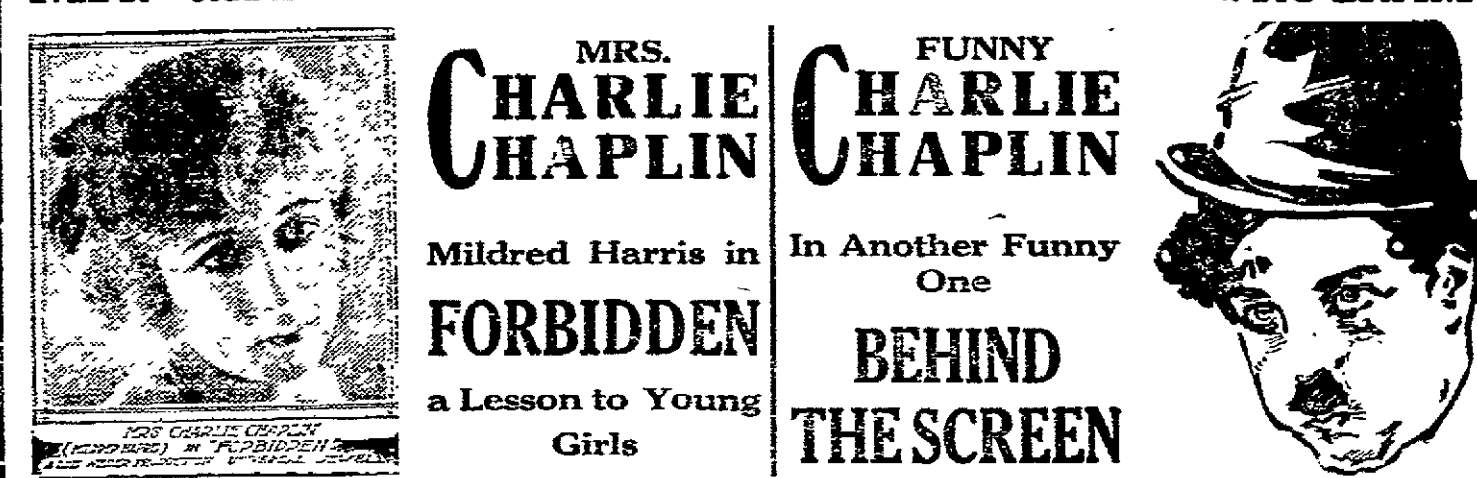


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## OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

## COOPERSTOWN HOME WEDDING

**Miss Dorothy G. Thompson Is Married**  
to A. C. Brogie of New York City.  
Cooperstown, Aug. 26.—Miss Dorothy Grace Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Charles P. Thompson of this village, was married to Albert Carl Brogie of New York city yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, 72 Elm street. Rev. Charles Kramer, the bride's pastor, officiated, using the Episcopal service, and the bride was given in marriage by her brother, Dr. Kennington L. Thompson of Jersey City, N. J. About 40 friends of the bride and groom witnessed the ceremony.

The bride wore a gown of white georgette crepe and carried a bouquet of white roses and sweet peas. The maid of honor, Miss Edna E. Marshall, wore a gown of yellow organdie and her bouquet was yellow roses and snapdragons. Frank Brogie of Holyoke, Mass., a brother of the groom, acted as best man. The home was attractively decorated with golden rod, golden glow and white phlox, carrying out the color scheme of yellow and white.

There was an informal reception after the ceremony, during which refreshments being served. During the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Brogie left for Boston, where they are to reside. The bride is a graduate of the Cooperstown High school, class of 1914, and Columbia university, 1919. During the last year she has been dietitian in the Good Samaritan hospital at Troy. Mr. Brogie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brogie of Holyoke, Mass., and is an electrician. During the war, he was a chief electrician in the navy, working both on transports and battleships. The young couple have numerous friends who will extend hearty congratulations.

## Harvest Home Day at Hospital.

Yesterday afternoon was the annual Harvest Home reception and donation at Thanksgiving hospital, and during the afternoon many friends of the institution called. The guests were received by members of the staff of the hospital, the nurses of the Woman's auxiliary, and shown about the buildings, after which they were served with ice cream and wafers. The annual report of the superintendent, Miss Marietta S. Newell, submitted at this time, was a very satisfactory outline of the year's work in the institution. The usual liberal contributions of money, household and medical articles, etc., were received by the hospital.

## Baseball Fund Still Growing.

The \$5,000 fund being raised for the purchase of Doubleday field, the birthplace of baseball, is growing steadily, the total up to Tuesday night being \$2,413. Everybody should contribute to make this movement a success.

## HARTWICK HAPPENINGS.

**W. G. T. U. Picnic Today—Camp Fire Girls Back From Camp.**

Hartwick, Aug. 26.—The W. G. T. U. will hold a picnic Friday at the home of Nettie Scott, above Hartwick village. As it is the annual meeting with election of officers, all members are especially requested to attend. Everyone, whether member or not, is cordially invited to come and have a good time. Dinner will be served at noon.

## Camp Fire Girls Return.

The Otsego Camp Fire girls of Hartwick returned Monday from a week's camp at the Pierson camp on Arnold's lake. Every girl stayed the entire week, which will be one of the memorable events on their official record. The girls were Mildred Gardner, Nettie Fuller, Edna DeMott, Mabel Talbot, Margaret Baumes, Erma Telfer, Marie Telfer, Jean Lockwood, Alice Card, Marion Ward, and Guardian Mildred M. Luce. All the girls report a most happy outing and are looking forward with eagerness to another camping trip next year.

## Economics Club Holds Civic Meeting.

The Home Economics club of this village met at the home of Mrs. Charles Phillips on Main street on Tuesday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting. The program for the afternoon was Civic, and several good papers were read on the federal and state officials and on the school laws. The next meeting, which will be held in September at the home of Mrs. Torry R. Luce, will be an all-day meeting. Miss McMartin, the county demonstration agent, will be present and will give practical help on renovating old clothing, trimming hats, and pressing a man's coat. Dinner will be served at noon, and all ladies of this vicinity are invited to come to this demonstration meeting, whether they have joined the club or not. These meetings are free to everyone. On September 4th, the club will hold a bazaar sale in the afternoon and evening at the store of Earl DeMott, on Main street. The club picnic will be held on Labor day, September 6, in Joslin's grove at South Hartwick. Everyone and their families are invited to attend this picnic and help make it a community affair. Yesterday at the advisory council held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms in Cooperstown, the following Hartwick members were present: Mrs. John A. Curry, Mrs. Earl DeMott, Mrs. Arthur Eldred, Mrs. H. P. Fisher, Mrs. W. Harris and Mrs. Torry Luce.

## Eastern Star Social Club.

The social club of the order of Eastern Star of this village held their regular meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Monroe Burch on Main street. An enjoyable afternoon, supper was served. The next meeting of the social club will be held at the home of Mrs. Stanley Backus on Wells avenue on September 7.

## Buys Church Property.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Woloben have

purchased from William Church the property on Main street, which they are now occupying. The location makes this a very desirable piece of property. Consideration not made public.

## Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Potter and daughter, Lois, of Albany, have been spending a few days with Mrs. Ratus Porter.—Mrs. Florence Groff of Cooperstown entertained on Sunday Mrs. Lucina Potter, Miss Lana Potter, Ralph Potter and family, and Mrs. Elwin Whitney, all of Hartwick. Mrs. Cora Potter of Elton, Mrs. Louise Clark of Elk Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Potter and daughter of Albany.—Miss Anna L. Martin of Homer is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Torry R. Luce.—Rev. A. D. Jones and family are guests of relatives in Port Crane.—Misses Marion and Anna Hopkins of Laurens are guests at Arthur Palmer's.

## COOPERSTOWN JUNCTION.

Cooperstown Junction, Aug. 26.—Miss Mable Hefenbark and cousin from Charlotteville visited friends in Otsego last Monday.—Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Radell were business callers in Oneonta Tuesday.—Mrs. Albert Dart will spend the week-end in Cooperstown with her friend, Mrs. Clark.—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. K. Fuller, Mrs. Maynard and Mrs. Pearce, all of Cooperstown, visited Inetta Dayton Wednesday.—Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Simmons were in Oneonta last Monday on business errands.—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mills and son, Leo, were in Oneonta Tuesday.—Mrs. E. Mellick of Oneonta is visiting her nephew, Glenn Sillman.—Mrs. D. Barnes of Schenectady was a recent guest of Mrs. Linda Barnes.

## WESTVILLE IS DELIGHTED.

Midsummer Night's Entertainment Last Week a Great Success.

Westville, Aug. 26.—Local talent along musical and dramatic lines, which would have done credit to any stage, delighted the people of Westville and vicinity at the Grange hall last week.

Every number was fully enjoyed and heartily applauded. Chief among the musical numbers was the male quartet, Guy McLaury and Fayette Delong of Portlandville, Charles Bates of Milford and Lynn Jacobs of Westville. Solos were given by Mrs. Brill Hooker of Westville and Miss Irene Galleguez of Watertown. The last number of the program, the Westville Kitchen band, in garb of chefs and cooks, conducted by Lynn Jacobs, showed that Westville is not lacking in musical ability.

The main dramatic feature of the entertainment was Mrs. F. K. Ames in her recitations and her clever impersonation of Mary, the cook, in the play, "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone."

Quite substantial sums were realized for the Simmons College fund, the Smith College fund and for the Westville Home Economics club.

## Equisite Stationery.

In the special offerings of stationery at the Corner Book store are papers of kid finish, linen finish, novelty wave, Scotch squares and other new and attractive examples of the art of the manufacture of fine stationery.

Short order cook wanted at once at the Pioneer Lunch.

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## DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

## STAMFORD TO BUY FIRE ENGINE

Votes at Special Election to Approve Rate \$12,000 for Purpose.

Stamford, Aug. 26.—At a special election held here today, the proposition to appropriate the sum of \$12,000 for the purchase of a new fire engine was carried by a vote of 67 to 16. The election grew out of the recent blaze which destroyed the bowling alley here and which started agitation for a better-equipped fire department.

The election passed off quietly and, as the vote indicates, was lightly attended. Now that the appropriation has been voted, it is expected that negotiations will shortly begin for the purchase of the engine, which will greatly strengthen the fire-fighting ability of Stamford's fire ladders.

## Block Party Saturday Night.

There will be a block party Saturday night on Main street in front of

Churchill hall for the benefit of Stamford's new hospital, which was donated by N. P. Young. There will be dancing and various other novelties and a great time is promised, the affair to continue until midnight. There will undoubtedly be a large turnout to swell the hospital fund. An Oneonta band will be here to furnish music.

This evening there was a big dance at the County club for the benefit of the same institution. The event was one of the most brilliant of the season and was attended by a large crowd.

## A DEAD DOG.

Tells the story of an Automobile Crash-up by the Rock-Cut.

North Kortright, Aug. 26.—Early morning travelers on the state road one day this week read the story of an automobile accident by the following signs: A dead dog lying in the ditch and fragments of a wrecked car and tracks

in the bank where it had "busted in." The smash-up occurred near the scenic rock-cut, presumably some time during the night. It is not likely that any physician would doubtless have been called. The carcass of the dog has since been removed.

## Suit Adjudged

The civil action brought before Justice T. E. McCulley by Andrew Madsen of Kortright against Everett Odell of Hobart to recover damages in an auto collision has been adjourned to Sept. 2. Madsen's attorney is Walter Scott and A. L. O'Connor appeared for Odell.

## Admissions Formed

Mr. T. L. Craig was here Monday and gave little Eleanor Irwin an operation so that he could break up some adhesions which had formed and kept her from straightening out her recently broken arm. Otherwise it is healing nicely and he thinks now it will soon be all right.

## Home for Vacation.

Mrs. Inez Stranigan of the Nurses Training school at Poughkeepsie, is

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## STRAND

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There are just 25 Dresses in this lot. They will be sold for cash only, none on approval. Alterations will be charged for.

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## EDITORIAL MENTION

The military branch of the government has to its credit the fact that one Bergdoll is in custody and serving a four-year sentence for evasion of the draft act. But—the Bergdoll referred to voluntarily gave himself up!

The prohibition amendment is part of the fundamental law of the land, and that there is not the least chance that it ever will be superseded. The one necessary thing now is its enforcement. If there is any question of prohibition now as a national issue, it is whether the law of the land is to be enforced. The party which most forcibly voices its determination to bring to pass this enforcement is the one which certainly a majority of women and probably of men will fasten its allegiance to.

It appears that the British government is just now discussing whether the United States should not surrender to the admiralty certain German merchant ships interned during the war in American ports, and whether it should not pay some millions for holding such ships—a sort of demurrage claim—when they were wanted by the English. British newspapers and individuals have lately accused Americans of driving hard bargains. Recent events indicate that England wants all there is in it for her, but at the same time is not above suggesting that it would be a fine thing should America remit all the millions of money which the treasury advanced to Great Britain when that nation was literally "strapped."

It is the assertion of the State department of Agriculture that there are too many hands between the producer and the consumer and that the result is too little money for the farmer and too much expenditure by the latter. One example offered is that 1,000 carloads of state apples are now ready for market, and that the price offered grovers is only \$1.50 per barrel. Sold out of hand in the metropolis, the retail price is said to be about 25 cents a pound. This is unquestionably an extreme instance, if in fact it exists at all; but a discount of 60 per cent on the selling price would still give a figure which should yield the grower twice what he now receives and plenty of profit along the line for the middleman.

The announcement is made that there are almost as many booze patients in New York hospitals as in the old days. Apparently it is the quality of the product which is getting in its deadly work.

There is naturally uneasiness about the tens of thousands of Red Russian revolutionists who have found refuge from the Poles by escaping across the lines to sanctuary in North Prussia. The Prussians themselves are known to be anxious to enter the war with Poland, and they may yet join hands with the Russians who took their guns and munitions along with them, in a rear attack upon Poland. There are plenty of Bolsheviks now in Germany without any from Russia adding to the general unrest.

It now appears that the United States will recognize the Mexican government if North American lives and property are respected, indemnities paid to foreigners who suffered during the revolution and the confiscatory Carranza decrees derogated. That is, it appears from Mexico City dispatches, but Washington says there are more conditions. It really does not seem to make much difference. Whatever the agreement, no recent Mexican government has stood up to it, and the present one is not likely to do better than its predecessors. There does not appear to be much of faith or honor in a Mexican revolutionary government.

## FIRST POSITION FOR CLARK

Truitt Gets Second Place and Jones Third on Primary Ballot.

Word has been received from Albany of the result of the drawing for position by the congressional candidates. John D. Clark, the Delhi attorney was fortunate in securing first position. Frank H. Truitt of Binghamton secures second place on the ballot, while Chesango's candidate, Senator S. A. Jones must be content with third and last position.

There seems to be a merry race on just at the present time and it is expected that all three candidates will be at the Cooperstown fair next week shaking hands with their friends and seeking to build more securely their political fences.

## Will Remove to California.

O. C. Potter of Norwich, has resigned his position as a member of the planning board of that city. It is understood that Mr. Potter and family will, at an early date, remove to California, where Mrs. Potter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Harburt, are now located.

## CITY CONTINUATION SCHOOL

Employed Children of Oneonta Between 14 and 16 Years of Age Must Attend Four Hours Weekly—Details of Part-Time School.

Under the provisions of the Education law of the state of New York, the city of Oneonta is required to establish in September, 1920, a part-time school, and by September, 1921, must have established sufficient classes to take care of the instruction of all children between the ages of fourteen and sixteen who are required to attend. During the school year 1920-21, all children between the ages of fourteen and sixteen, residing in the city or employed here, who are not in attendance upon the regular full-time school, and not otherwise exempt, will be required to attend this part-time or continuation school for four hours each week in which such school is in session.

The course of study will comprise two hours of instruction each week in general subjects, such as citizenship, English, hygiene, history and arithmetic, and two hours of instruction in industrial work for boys and home making for girls. A parent who fails to send a child to part-time school is subject to penalty, as are minors who fail to attend, and employers of children must excuse them to attend part-time school and must discontinue the services of children who fail or refuse to attend. The benefits of such courses of instruction, closely adapted to the needs of those who have been compelled for various reasons to leave regular day school at an early age, should prove invaluable, and the cheerful cooperation of parents, employers, and citizens generally is earnestly desired.

The board of education has appointed John T. Lawler, instructor in science in the High School, as principal of the part-time school, which will open Saturday, September 11th, at 8 a. m. at the High School building. Following that date, boys will be required to attend on Saturdays from 8 to 12 o'clock, and girls on Wednesdays from 3 to 5 and Saturdays from 8 to 10 o'clock, each week during which the public schools are in session.

## ENJOY A GREAT DAY.

Local Shooters Participate in North Franklin's Club Field Day.

Several members of the Oneonta Fish, Game and Gun club motored to North Franklin yesterday, where they were guests of the Outpost Gun club at their annual outing. The Oneonta team arrived in time for a sumptuous chicken dinner, which was "some" dinner, according to those who were fortunate enough to participate. Following the dinner, which was probably the most popular feature of the day, the afternoon was spent in a trapshooting contest, about 40 shooters from Otsego and Delaware counties taking part. Some of the high scores of the day were as follows:

	Shot	Broken
Platt, Oneonta	50	49
Nye, Oneonta	65	49
Harvour, Oneonta	50	29
W. Miller	30	26
G. Lindsey	60	42
Denny	75	64
Trumbull	50	36

## Otego Woman Sails for England

Miss Sarah J. Pierson, who for the past 33 years has been a resident of Otego, left Thursday for New York city, whence she sails Saturday noon on the Cunarder Aquatania for England. Miss Pierson lands at Southampton but goes at once to London, where she will visit her sister and brothers. She was accompanied to New York by her nephew, John Pierson, of this city.

"The eternal fitness of things" demands Baker's certified flavoring extracts when other ingredients of unquestionable quality are used. 5t

## I Could Hug Woman-Hood Nurse

Says Well-Known Oneonta Woman

Mrs. E. VanCourt, 126 Main street, (had wonderful help also). Mrs. Sarah Perry, 24 Broad street, says "My kid, Mrs. R. Judd, 11 Ann street, Mrs. Sarah Fullington, 201 Chestnut street, when I had all my life. My tongue is clean and clear from that bad coating and my food tastes fine. I can recommend Woman-Hood Tonic as the very best." Get out of that old rut—Think over the women of your acquaintance who are sick and miserable most of the time. How they are run down, discouraged and blue. How many of them are fading while they are still young! No woman should lose her attractiveness and attention to the ailments of her sex most any woman should be well and healthy for years longer. Just because you have suffered and your mother suffered before you is no reason why you can't get help. These are the days of progress and improvement in the machine as well as in automobiles. The same treatment which these women used to receive when their health is not open to you. You can follow in their footsteps. Investigate that great treatment and see what it offers you. Call on some of your neighbors and inquire. The facts here and prove that you will receive right here at home what you have been seeking elsewhere. Call on the Woman-Hood Nurse at Slade's Drug store today. Don't put it off until tomorrow for every day lost keeps you one day further from health and health that Woman-Hood Tonic has given so many girls and women.

Remember the Woman-Hood Nurse is only at Slade's Drug store in Oneonta Friday, Saturday and Monday, August 27, 28 and 30th.

## SUICIDE OF A. BRUCE HOWARD

FOUNDER ONEONTA DISAPPEARS FROM SHIP EN ROUTE FROM BUENOS AIRES.

Had Been Despondent for Some Time—Eluded Watchers and Probably Jumped Overboard off Rio de Janeiro—Was South American Manager of American Express Company. Many residents of Oneonta will recall Bruce Howard, who about twenty years ago lived as a boy in this city, and will learn with deep regret of his death, which occurred, probably on July 30, while he was en route from Buenos Aires, Argentine Republic, to New York. He had from early manhood been connected with the American Express company, and by his unusual energy and ability had made rapid advancement in its service. For several years he was connected with the Canadian office of the company and on the occasion of his last visit to Oneonta, which was about six years ago, he was on his way to New York, whence he was to sail for Cuba to assume an important position in its Spanish American business. A recent issue of the New York Times contains the following account of the sorrowful circumstances attending his death:

"The suicide of Adam Bruce Howard, General Manager of the American Express in South America, previously reported by wireless was confirmed when the Junoon Line steamship, Martha Washington, docked at Hoboken yesterday morning from Brazil and Argentine ports. "Howard's wife, who had also been all came here from South America recently, and went to friends in New York, N. Y., at whose home she is seriously ill. Her husband left Buenos Aires on July 26 to join her, and was taken aboard by friends to whom he expressed his belief that he would not see her again, as she would be dead before he could reach New York. Mr. Howard occupied a stateroom which he shared with Walter M. Waskom, representative of the Nat. City Bank at Port Alegre, Brazil, and he had another friend on board, Robert F. Barrett, vice president of the Portals Co. bankers at Buenos Aires. Mr. Barrett told reporters that Howard had been despondent over his wife's illness, and was also suffering with hallucinations that the American Express co. was bankrupt because of the way he had managed the South American business for the past four years.

"Dr. Samuel H. Hodgson, the ship's surgeon, said that shortly after leaving Buenos Aires Howard told him he intended to commit suicide. The surgeon thought he was not in earnest, but he reported it to the commander, Francis F. Cross, and a steward was told off to keep watch over him.

"When the Martha Washington arrived at Rio de Janeiro on July 30 Howard seemed more cheerful, and said that he would go ashore and take a long walk. He cashed some money orders, bought some clothes and presents and returned to the ship. After tea at 4 o'clock, he again became melancholy, and told his friend, Mr. Barrett, and Hubert Beckett, the purser, that he intended to end his life and would not live to see America again. When he did not come down to dinner that night the steward went to his cabin and found him sitting on the side of his bed, holding his head in his hands. 'Are you coming in to dinner, Mr. Howard?' asked the steward. 'I will be along presently, after I have changed my clothing,' was the reply, and those were the last words that Howard was heard to speak on board the Martha Washington. He was last seen by another steward putting on his new clothes. "When he had not made his appearance in the dining saloon by 7:45 the steward went to the cabin

again, and found it empty. The alarm was given and the captain ordered a search made all over the ship, but no trace of the missing passenger could be found. It is believed that Howard went into the bathroom adjoining his cabin and jumped out of the window onto the deck and jumped overboard while the rest of the passengers were at dinner. He left his wife's picture and a considerable sum of money lying on his bed underneath the pillow.

"Mr. Howard was 37 years old, and was one of the best known Americans in the Argentine. Mr. Howard was a son of F. L. Howard, who for some time was a resident of Oneonta, but whose home is now in London, N. J. A brother, Mark M. Howard, also resides at London. Both are members of the Klippel club, and have been frequent attendants at its reunions in New York. Bruce Howard, when business called him to New York at the time, had himself attended these reunions, and will be recalled by his membership. By these and by the many friends of his younger days in Oneonta heartfelt sorrow will be felt at the tidings of his demise, which undoubtedly was caused by overwork and resultant despondency.

## Hartwick Summer Assembly

The feature to date of the summer assembly at Hartwick seminary was the cantata given last evening by a chorus of 200 voices under the competent direction of Rev. Mr. Hassler of Elmira, who has had charge of the music of the assembly. The cantata, which is entitled "The City of God," was written for the Lutheran quadricentennial in 1917, and is a production of exceptional merit and beauty. In addition to those regularly attending the assembly, there were many present from Oneonta and Cooperstown and other near-by places for the evening. The assembly continues all day today and will close this evening with a lecture by Mayor George R. Lunn of Schenectady, who will speak on "The Church and the Industrial Situation." It is expected that the largest attendance of the week will greet this well-known speaker.

## Governor Smith to Visit Richfield.

Governor Alfred Smith and Senator James W. Wadsworth will be the speakers at the annual convention of the New York State Coal Merchants' convention to be held at Richfield Springs on September 9, 10 and 11. The presence of these distinguished gentlemen will tend much to the success of the gathering.

## HOPPING IN MILFORD.

Crop Mostly Gathered—Fine Quality and No Vermin—\$1.00 Opening Price.

Out of the hundred or more hop growers in an earlier day in the town of Milford there remain only three who have any considerable yards. They are C. S. Morris of Portlandville, W. L. Morris and C. J. Armstrong of Milford. All are picking and will probably finish next week. C. S. Morris began on Friday of last week and will probably finish next Monday. Two-thirds of the work is now done and he estimates his entire crop at 500 boxes. W. L. Morris will have about the same quantity, and the Armstrong crop is estimated at from 300 to 400 boxes.

The quality of the crop is excellent. There is practically no vermin and but little blue mold in any of the yards. Representatives of the large St. Louis brewing interests have visited the yards, but to this time no sales have been made. The opening price is estimated at \$1.00 per pound, and some growers in the county believe that at least \$1.25 will be reached.

## WHEN IS A PUP A DOG?

City Clerk of Albany Decides Matter Important to Owners.

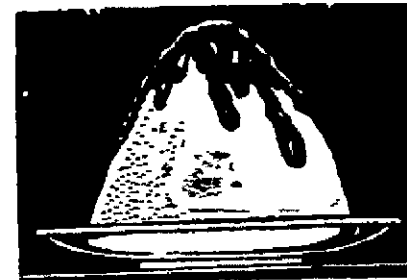
City Clerk Pugh of Albany has just handed down a decision that will be of greater interest to more men, women and children than the Volstead act and the League of Nations together. It is, just when does a pup change from an exuberant and frisky bit of dog flesh into the more dignified and sedate period of doghood? There is a time and a definite one fixed by law to cover that very recurring second, and it is right at that particular second that the change is made and the matter of buying a license must be considered. Well, to make a long story short, it is at the age of exactly one second after a pup is four months old that it assumes the cares and responsibilities of the dog state, together with all taxes, registration, etc. Oneonta owners of frisky pups, whether purchased, picked up on the highway, or otherwise acquired, will please take notice.

## Removed to State Hospital.

Mrs. Catherine Powell, whose unfortunate mental condition had been noticed in these columns, was yesterday removed to the Bermanston State hospital for treatment. She had been at the Fox hospital for a number of days but required an attendant to be constantly with her.

Dining room girl wanted at once at the Pioneer lunch

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 Ficus Rugs, 9 by 12 feet; regular price \$22.50 ..... \$19.50  
 Fibre Rugs, 6 by 8 ft.; regular price \$15.00 ..... \$13.50  
 Wool and Fibre Rugs, 9 by 12 feet, 70 % wool; good, fast colors, small figures; value \$30.00 ..... \$22.75  
 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, good patterns—  
 One, 6 1/2 by 10 1/2 feet; value \$49.50 ..... \$34.25  
 One 8 1/2 by 10 feet; value \$52.50 ..... \$39.00  
 Two, 9 by 12 feet; Chinese design, good colors, value \$55.00 ..... \$43.50  
 Two 9 by 12 feet Turkestan Wiltons; slight imperfection in pattern; very special at ..... \$32.50  
 Small wool rugs, all sizes, at special prices.  
 One roll ingrain carpet, good color and pattern. Special at ..... \$1.29  
 One roll brown colored fast matting, 36" wide. Regular price, 85c. Special at ..... 60c  
 One roll felt base floor covering, 72 inches wide. tan ground, small figure, wearing guaranteed. Square yard ..... 79c  
 54 inch grass matting, brown and green, Crex and Delton. At only ..... 9c and \$1.00  
 Remnants of Linoleum, Congoleum and rug 50-cd. one square yard to 5 yards, good for closets and pantries. ..... 1/2 price.

## Coats, Suits and Dresses

We are able to offer you a number of unusual bargains in ready-to-wear department. First, you will find, in addition to the bargains listed below, very special prices on all Spring Coats and Suits. We also want you to note that we are offering special prices on White Separate Skirts of Wash Satin, Crepe de Chine and Georgette.

\$50.00 and \$47.50 Silk Dresses; special at ..... \$27.75  
 \$25.00 Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Taffeta Dresses; special at ..... \$20.00  
 Suits, former prices \$30.00 to \$27.50; special at ..... \$9.95  
 Suits, former prices \$40.00 to \$37.50; special at ..... \$22.79  
 \$32.50 and \$30.00 Jersey Dresses, special at ..... \$20.00  
 \$15.00 Separate Skirts; to close ..... \$9.99  
 Black Separate Skirts; regular prices \$7.00 to \$10.00. 15 Per Cent Off ..... \$6.00  
 A small lot of good Coats; your choice ..... \$10.00  
 Another better grade lot ..... \$10.00  
 A lot of Navy and Black Serge Dresses; special at ..... \$20.00

## NOTIONS

Pins full size, carbon steel pins, 300 count 4c  
 Safety pins, nickel plated, assorted sizes to card. Regular price 7c. Sale ..... 5c  
 Snaps, a full line of dress snaps, all sizes, black and white, down to card ..... 4c  
 Hair pins, our regular ten cent invisible cabinet ..... 7c  
 Tape, colored, silk-finish, wide tape, 5 yards for ..... 5c  
 Ball cotton, for knitting wash cloths, value 14 cents ..... 7c  
 Buttons, fancy buttons, a large line, per dozen ..... 10c  
 Button not fast and embroidery floss, per spool ..... 1c  
 Spool silk, odd shades, per spool ..... 4c  
 Mavis talcum powder, regular price 25c 19c  
 Rit dyes, regular price 10 cents ..... 6c

## COTTON AND LINEN DRESS GOODS

All figured voiles and organdies (including remnants) ..... 10c  
 Voile, 44 inch, tea rose, waterila, light blue, grey, rose, Copen, orchid. Special ..... 79c  
 Voile, 35 inch, black, navy, green, maize, tan. Special at ..... 45c  
 Voile, 40 inch, grey, old rose, Copen. Special at ..... 69c  
 Organdie, 45 inch, Nile green. Special at ..... 69c  
 Poplin, 27 inch, Reseda green, Copen, navy, tan, rose, pink. Special at ..... 39c  
 Cotton Rajah, 36 inch, wine color. Special ..... 39c  
 Linen, 35 inch, natural color dress linen. Special at ..... \$1.49  
 Linen, 35 inch, art crash. Special at ..... \$1.29

## DRESS GINGHAMS

27 inch dress plaid zephyr gingham, a large assortment of patterns at ..... 29c  
 32 inch dress plaid zephyr gingham, a large assortment of patterns at ..... 35c

## HANDKERCHIEFS

Ladies' and childrens handkerchiefs, fancy embroidered edge of pink, lavender, blue and yellow. Three for ..... 11c  
 Fine lawn hemstitched handkerchiefs. Special ..... 5c  
 Better grades of sheer lawn at 7, 10 and 12c  
 Ladies' all-linen cambric handkerchiefs ..... 25c  
 Ladies' fancy handkerchiefs, fine lawn, embroidered corners, a large assortment at ..... 12 1/2c  
 Better grades of embroidered handkerchiefs ..... 20, 25 and 30c  
 Men's good grade white cotton handkerchiefs ..... 3 for 25c  
 Men's linen finish handkerchiefs ..... 25c  
 Men's all-linen, fine grade handkerchiefs 50c  
 Men's all-linen and all-silk initial handkerchiefs—to close the line ..... 19c

## WAISTS

A large assortment of this season's good quality voile waists; white and colored; long and short sleeves. Many are embroidery trimmed. 85 cents.  
 A limited number of silk pongee waists, former price \$1.58. Sale ..... \$2.39  
 A limited number of organdie, georgette and taffeta waists; former prices \$3.75 to \$7.50. Sale ..... \$5.95  
 Georgette waists, the best quality; lace embroidery and bead trimmed. Former prices \$10.00 to \$10.50 \$6.95 \$11.50 to \$14.00 \$8.59 \$15.00 to \$21.00 \$9.95

## MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Muslin envelope, chemise, lace trim, good quality. A big special at ..... 85c  
 A limited number of drawer combinations. Special at ..... 79c  
 A limited number of combinations, corset cover and drawer. Regular prices \$2.00 to \$2.50 ..... \$1.69  
 A limited number of embroidery trimmed muslin night dresses. Regular prices \$2.25 to \$2.45 ..... \$1.75  
 Children's muslin pants, a limited quantity at ..... 15c  
 "Sealtex" ladies' athletic underwear at the following reductions:  
 Regular price ..... 2.00. Sale \$1.79  
 ..... 2.25. Sale \$1.95  
 ..... 3.00. Sale \$2.43  
 ..... 3.50. Sale \$2.80  
 ..... 4.50. Sale \$3.59

## LISLE UNDERWEAR

A good number of Lisle pants, open and closed knee, sizes 34 to 40. Worth 39 and 35 cents ..... 19c  
 A large number of Lisle union suits, tight and open knee, all full sizes and misses. Regular price 59 to 60 cents ..... 39c  
 A good number of misses' and children's Lisle vests. Regular price 20 cents to 25 cents ..... 15c  
 A limited number of pants, open knee, lace trim. Regular 59 cents 25c Regular 75 cents 49c  
 A large number of union suits, plain and lace trimmed, fine quality. Regular price \$1 to \$1.25. Sale ..... 99c



# Fresh Made TODAY

## MILK CHOCOLATE

60¢ lb.

## Peacan Nut Kisses

—And Also—

### Special for Today Only

Extra Large White  
Blanched Peanuts

At 25¢ box

SEE THEM IN WINDOW DISPLAY

# LASKARIS

## If We Were To Pay You

Ten cents a minute to call on us,  
you would be right down.

Let us explain the GATES HALF-  
SOLE proposition, and show you the  
amount you can save on your tire  
bills.

5,000 Miles.  
½ the cost.

## Oneonta Battery and Tire Co.

1-3 Hamilton avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.  
Entrance at Torrey's market.

Phone 112-J  
FRANK'S

# Taxi

Quick Delivery, Trucking  
and Moving

REAR OF 54 MARKET ST

West End Electric Shop  
R. B. CHAMBERLIN B. B. ST. JOHN  
General Electrical Contracting

### TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

8 a. m. 52  
2 p. m. 61  
8 p. m. 74  
Maximum, 85. Minimum, 59.

### LOCAL MENTION.

—The supper to be given at the  
Emmons church this evening will be  
begin at 6 o'clock, standard time, and  
will continue until all are served.

—The Dances of Orango and Dela-  
ware counties will turn out in force at  
the annual state picnic to be held to-  
morrow at Neahwa park. Prominent  
speakers will be present and a day of  
genuine enjoyment is assured.

—The annual picnic of the Odd Fel-  
lows and Rebekahs was held yester-  
day afternoon and evening at Neahwa  
park. An excellent dinner was served  
at 5:30 to about 100 people. Pleasant  
summer weather contributed to a very  
enjoyable occasion.

### High School Registration.

Registration of pupils of the One-  
onta High school will be held Thurs-  
day, Friday and Saturday, September  
2, 3 and 4, at the principal's office in  
the high school building on Academy  
street. Freshmen will appear for reg-  
istration on Thursday, Sophomores on  
Friday and Juniors and Seniors on  
Saturday. The hours will be from 9  
a. m. to 12 m. and from 1 to 4 p. m.  
on Thursday and Friday, and on Sat-  
urday from 9 a. m. to 12 m. only. It  
is very important that pupils attend-  
ing the high school the coming year  
apply for registration on the days  
named.

### Meetings Today.

Oneonta camp, No. 22, Golden Sea  
Assurance society, at 8 o'clock, in I.  
O. O. F. hall, Chestnut street.

The Ladies' Aid of United Presby-  
terian church will meet in the church  
parlors Friday afternoon at 2:30.

Regular meeting of Oneonta Circle,  
No. 245, P. H. C., at 8 p. m., in B. R.  
T. hall. Class initiation. Degree team  
please be present.

### What's the Matter

With this house at \$4,700? It's do-  
uble, six rooms and bath up and down,  
oak floor and finish, electric lights,  
stationary ranges, gas, good garden,  
near Center Street school. Where can  
you beat as a place to live and as an  
investment? Let us show you today.  
Thillingast & Collier, under the town  
clock.

Dancing Every Evening at Ward's  
Restaurant.

Free dancing every evening from 9  
to 12 at Ward's restaurant at Oneon-  
ta hotel. Everybody welcome. Come  
and bring your friends. 4 m w 3

### Notice.

Fashion shop will open August 28  
with a fresh showing of new fall gar-  
ments at 175 Main street. Eva Min-  
son.

Sherman lake Saturday night, Aug.  
28, big vaudeville show and dance,  
and every Saturday night for the remain-  
der of the season.

### A YOUNG GRANDMOTHER

IDA CASTLE, WOMAN WITH A  
RECORD, IN CITY COURT  
AS COMPLAINANT.

Herself Held on Charges of Disorderly  
Conduct — Will Be Committed  
to Some Institution — Samuel Lay-  
man, who Founded Her, Given 60  
Days in County Jail.

Ida Castle, aged 31 years, the moth-  
er of six children and a grandmother,  
was arraigned in city court yesterday  
morning charged with disorderly con-  
duct. She had been living with Sam-  
uel Layman, whom she had known be-  
fore, at 32 River street. Wednesday  
evening she alleged that Layman  
pounded and choked her in the single  
room they occupied and the distur-  
bance was so great that James N. Jones,  
who resides in the same house, placed  
Layman under arrest and later turned  
him over to Officer Cross. The woman  
ran out of the house and over the  
rocks and created such a disturbance  
that she was also placed under ar-  
rest.

She has given the authorities much  
trouble since her coming here and her  
domestic affairs reveal a shocking con-  
dition. Her maiden name was Ida  
Castle and she hails from Schoharie  
county. She married a man named  
Toussaint of Schoharie, but he was  
compelled to secure a divorce because  
of her infidelity. She drifted to One-  
onta and resided with Layman. Later  
she became infatuated with William  
Daley and they went to Albany and  
were married, although the divorce  
had been in readiness for work com-  
mencing at the present state road.  
Just beyond the gasoline station for  
three weeks or more, but the objec-  
tions have delayed him, until it began  
to look as if the project might be in-  
definitely postponed or abandoned en-  
tirely for some other section of the  
county road in the town.

Mr. VanAmburgh, accompanied by  
the other officials, visited the road and  
made an inspection and in general  
the project was approved and Mr.  
Thompson was instructed to proceed  
with the job. He is now engaged in  
drawing gravel with which to con-  
struct the shoulders of the new road.  
When these are completed, within  
three weeks or more, the subbase of  
16 inches of coarse river or creek  
gravel, over which are 3 inches of finer  
gravel or crushed stone, all to be cov-  
ered with an inch of screenings. The  
width of the road inside the shoulders  
is to be 10 feet.

Mr. VanAmburgh, who is in charge  
of the bureau of town highways, after  
inspecting the survey already  
made, which is at this end of the  
road to be improved and the plans  
proposed, decided that Mr. Thompson  
is to proceed with the gravel in the  
construction of the shoulders. It was  
thought advisable to call the super-  
visors committee on county highways  
together and have them pass upon  
the question of using the coarse gravel  
for the subbase before it is finally  
constructed.

It is confidently hoped that the pro-  
ject will encounter no more ob-  
stacles and that the work will now  
proceed. It will certainly be a mis-  
fortune for the city and property own-  
ers along the road as well as the  
general public which uses the road  
to have the work interrupted indef-  
initely with the possibility that it might  
be abandoned and another section  
improved.

### TO BUILD FRANKLIN ROAD

FROM STATE ROAD ON SOUTH  
SIDE TO COUNTY LINE AT  
TOP OF HILL.

First of County System of Highways  
to Be Constructed in Town of One-  
onta — Work Delayed Because of  
Objections of Property Owners.  
Now to Proceed.

Work on the proposed section of  
county highways, the first to be built  
in Oneonta town under that plan, ex-  
tending from the present state road  
on South Side along the old Franklin  
turnpike to the top of the hill or the  
county line will go forward, it is now  
believed promptly as a result of a  
conference held here yesterday at  
which Third Deputy Commissioner of  
Highways Charles VanAmburgh of  
Albany met with V. L. Hoke, the county  
superintendent, Frank Taber, town  
superintendent, Charles Thompson, town  
superintendent, Dennis J. Kilkenny,  
county attorney, and other officials.

It had been thought that this sec-  
tion of highway was being favored  
by selection as the first to be construct-  
ed under the county system in the  
town of Oneonta, and that the prop-  
erty owners along the road would be  
gratified to have the road improved  
at once. Work has been held up, how-  
ever, because of the objections of  
these property owners who have pro-  
tested the location of the culverts, the  
width of the road and the material  
that is proposed to use. The task  
is to be done by Town Superintendent  
Thompson, under the supervision of  
County Superintendent Hoke, and he  
has been in readiness for work com-  
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### Concert by City Band Sunday.

Rain prevented the concert an-  
nounced for last Sunday by the City  
band. Weather permitting, it will be  
given on Sunday afternoon at 4  
o'clock on the Elks' lawn in front of  
Brown's park. That it will be one  
of the best concerts given locally this  
summer is evidenced by the excellent  
program given below, which will be  
rendered Sunday afternoon by this  
well-known musical organization.

March—Royal Scotch Highlanders  
(King).

Overture—Princess of India (King).

Cornet Solo—The Lost Chord (Sir A.  
Sullivan). F. D. Blanchard.

Selection—So Long Letty (Carroll).

Cornet March—I Diavolo Rossi (Ri-  
vlin).

March—Chilian Dance (Missud).

Grand Selection—Songs from the Old  
Folks (Laker).

March—The Masterbuilders (Holmes)

### Mrs. Steenrod Bitten by Dog.

Mrs. H. C. Steenrod, who with her  
husband is employed in the Peck Lum-  
ber camp on South Side, was badly  
bitten by a shepherd dog on Wednesday  
morning. The dog, which belongs to  
the Steenrods, had been tied up, and  
while Mrs. Steenrod was loosening him  
he suddenly seized her left arm, m-  
way between wrist and elbow, making  
several bad lacerations. Dr. G. W.  
Simmons was called and dressed the  
wounds, after which Dr. Pomeroy of  
West Oneonta, health officer for the  
township, was notified and the dog  
was placed in confinement and under  
surveillance for ten days. The dog does  
not appear to be suffering from rabies,  
but all due precautions will be taken.

Sherman lake Saturday night, Aug.  
28, big vaudeville show and dance,  
and every Saturday night for the remain-  
der of the season.

My office will be closed from this  
Friday morning until Wednesday  
morning, Sept. 1. Dr. W. S. Cooke.  
17 Chestnut street.

Special sale of men's U. S. and Ar-  
row brand rubber boots \$4.50 per pair.  
William Macduff Jr., Schenectady, N. Y.

For Sale — Grain binder, second  
hand, in good working order, low  
price. A. H. Murdock, Market street E.

Wanted—New card honey at Pal-  
mer's grocery.

The Tempting Lemon Tang. Ward's  
Lemon-Crush.

"Suits to a T"—Brya of course.

### DODGE TOURING CAR STOLEN

Taken from Barn of Charles Sanford,  
South Side, Wednesday Night—  
Thieves Back Out Ford Behind It  
and Make Way with Dodge—Dog  
Fails to Make any Disturbance.

Some time during Wednesday night  
the five passenger Dodge touring car of  
Charles Sanford, residing on the Hill-  
farm on South Side was backed out of  
the barn and stolen. Mr. Sanford on  
arriving yesterday morning found his  
Ford car which had stood behind it  
out in the yard and the doors open  
with the Dodge gone.

Mr. Sanford came to this city as soon  
as he could and notified Chief Horton  
of the police department at once, who  
at once sent out notices of the theft.  
The car was a 1915, with black body.  
The motor number is 63,459 and the  
license plate number on the car when  
taken was 625,664. The tires are in  
good condition with a Goodyear and a  
Pump on rear wheels and a Goodyear  
and Norwalk on front ones. There was  
a tire in the top on the left side about  
an inch long which had been sewed,  
the front box to top was broken on the  
left side but had been patched and  
it was strapped down on the right side.  
A piece of iron had been bolted on the  
right side of the crank case, under the  
water pump, the case having been  
broken.

Anyone learning of the whereabouts  
of the car are requested to notify  
Chief Horton at police headquarters,  
Oneonta, of Charles Sanford, R. D. 3,  
Oneonta. A reward of \$25 has been  
offered for evidence that will result in  
the recovery of the car.

The family heard no disturbance  
during the night and the farm dog  
made so far as any of them heard no  
signs of hearing unusual disturbance  
about the place. There were no tracks  
to indicate in which direction the car  
was taken and so far as can be learn-  
ed there are no clues. Officer O'Dell  
came by the place at about 10:30 p. m.  
and he is quite positive that a car stood  
near the Sanford home at the side of  
the road with one fellow seated in it,  
who apparently humped up and made  
an effort to conceal his appearance.  
Mr. O'Dell thinks he was a party to  
the crime.

Three minutes from car line and  
school—eight-room house, with city  
water, lot 50x143, \$2,250. Others,  
\$1,650 to \$7,500. Oneonta Agency, Inc.,  
Phone 513-R. 246 Main street. If

Just received—Another shipment of  
whole codfish at Palmer's grocery. If

## We Do Not Advertise Anything We Can't Deliver

NEW FALL HATS

NEW FALL CAPS

NEW FALL SHIRTS

NEW FALL SUITS

They're no cheaper, but we think they are fully better  
than last season, anyhow. We shall want to show you the Fall  
stocks as they arrive, compare them with others, and you'll  
know where to buy to your advantage.

## Spencer's Busy Clothes Shop

ONEONTA, N. Y.

## The Mutual Life Insurance Co., of New York

A MONTHLY INCOME  
AN IMMEDIATE INCOME  
A LIFELONG INCOME  
If You Become Totally and  
Permanently DISABLED

H. BERNARD

District Manager, Schenectady, N. Y.

WHOSE BUSINESS IS LIFE INSURANCE ONLY

# BELL CLOTHING CO.

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

## NEW FALL GARMENTS NOW HERE

## Coats -- Suits -- Dresses

Designed for immediate and early Fall wear. Just the  
sort of garments one is ready for at this season—there's a re-  
freshing newness bound to charm those demanding something  
different.

# Captivating Autumn Frocks

Satins, Taffetas, Tricolettes,  
Navy, Tricotines and  
Serges, Georgettes,  
Crepe de Chines

Introducing new style features in silhouette, trimming  
and coloring. A collection comprehensive in the extreme,  
varying from simple street frocks to more elaborate types for  
afternoon wear. As might be expected, The Bell buying pow-  
er has achieved the exceptional in value-giving.

NEW FALL WAISTS, SKIRTS, SWEATERS  
MUSLIN AND KNIT UNDERWEAR

## Smart Fall Hats

Featuring the Very Latest Styles



—Duvetyn Hats  
—Tinseltail Hats  
—Silk Velvet Hats  
—New Feather Hats

New Off-the-Face Hats,  
Hats, Sailors, Roll-  
Brim Hats and new Tams  
in jade, pheasant, copper,  
brown, orange, navy and  
wanted Fall colors.

Men's and Boys' Fall Suits and Top Coats. Bring in the boy and fit him out here in one of our  
Sturdy Doublebuilt Suits, Guaranteed for Six Months' Wear

# Oneonta Dept. Store

## Everything for Everybody

## But Four More Days

# CLEARANCE SALE

Ends Tuesday night — after that time Clearance Pri-  
ces cease and price tags changed to regular every-day  
schedules.

No need to tell you the advantages of this sale. The  
values they have for you will be made plain by the way  
you improve the opportunities.

Be sure to visit the store during these remaining few  
days.

It makes no difference what you desire, whether it is  
for man, woman or child — you will find it here featured  
at Clearance Prices which mean an actual saving of from  
10 to 30 per cent. It will prove a profitable investment of  
time to come to the store during the final days of this sale  
and see for yourself the hundreds of opportunities of sav-  
ing on merchandise you need.



## Big Farm Bargains

304 acre farm; 5 miles from this city; river bottom farm; 100 acres bottom land; overshot stock barn, 40 x 50; the up for 60 head of stock; 12 room house; running water at buildings; cuts about 150 tons hay; will carry 100 head of stock. Price \$12,500.

344 acre farm located 1 mile off the state road; 5 miles from large village; 15 room colonial residence, first class condition; main stock barn, 35 x 90; granary, milk house, horse barn; garage and extra hay barn; running water at buildings. Will include 50 stock, 25 thoroughbred Holsteins, 3 horses, all farm tools and machinery; crops; milk checks reach nearly \$1,000 per month. Price \$17,000. Terms.

87 1/2 acre farm; 4 miles from large village and railroad station; 9 room house; main stock barn, 40 x 50; running water at buildings; wagon house, extra hay barn and milk house. Will include 15 cows, 2 horses, farm tools and machinery. Price \$5,500, cash \$2,000.

6 acre farm; state road location; 20 minutes from this city; good house and barn; grand location; running water and lots of fruit. Price, \$2,300.

30 acre farm located in the Otsego valley 1/4 mile from railroad station, stores, creamery, etc.; 19 room house; large barn. All level land; 90 acres rich, bottom land; good buildings. Price, \$3,200. Terms.

**Campbell Bros.**  
Wilber Nat'l Bank Block—

## Stationery AND School Supplies

Tablets, Ink, Etc.  
Die Stamped Normal Stationery.  
Oneonta Souvenirs.  
Leather Goods.  
White Ivory.

**The Oneonta Press, Inc.**  
32-34 Broad Street

**Plumbing & Heating**  
Electrical Contractors  
**E. J. HOUSE**  
7 Elm Street

## Prest-O-Lite STORAGE BATTERY SERVICE

What you want is SERVICE. That's our specialty. Then you want efficient workmanship. Our men are experts aided by the best equipment obtainable. And you want satisfaction, and you get that.

We Are at Your Service  
**Oneonta Battery and Tire Co.**

1 and 5 Hamilton Ave., Oneonta, N. Y. Entrance at Torrey's Market.

## Special Silk Hosiery Sale

—FOR—  
**Friday and Saturday Only**

Women's Hose, in all Silks; Silk Boot, with Lisle Top, and Fibre Silk.  
In these popular brands, "Onyx," "Bontex" and "Black Cat."

\$1.50 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$1.13	\$2.75 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$2.49
\$2.00 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$1.69	\$3.00 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$2.69
\$2.25 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$1.89	\$3.50 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$3.13
\$2.50 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$2.13	\$4.00 Values.	Sale Price ....	\$3.69

**B. F. SISSON**

Director Of War Plans Division



Major General Wm. G. Haun, director of the war plans division of the general staff, who has led Washington on an extensive inspection tour of the army educational institutions throughout the country.

**Birthday Surprise on South Side.**  
About 15 friends of Duane and McCracken made him a surprise at his home on South Side last evening, the occasion being his twenty-third birthday anniversary. The guests were from Harpersfield and North Kortright, where the McCrackens formerly resided. The affair was a complete surprise, the party coming in three autos.

The evening was pleasantly passed with games, dancing and other amusements, and at a late hour refreshments were served. The guests departed after wishing Duane many happy returns of the day.

### Canning's Orchestra.

All engagements given prompt attention. 3 Ford avenue or phone 1162-W.

Don't forget the dance at Smalley's pavilion, Cooperstown, each Tuesday and Friday, rain or shine.

When Klipnocks coffee is served it is safe to assume that the rest of the meal is above criticism.

Wanted — Woman to work in the kitchen. Pioneer lunch.

### TO STOP ITCHING SCALP

Rub Parisian Sage on your head and you will not have to scratch the dandruff off, cures itching scalp, gives a beautiful hair. Geo. S. Sade sells is on money pick p.m.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Thelma Hendy spent yesterday at Chateaufort.

Judge Frank C. Huntington was a business visitor in Grand George yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Morrison of 119 Elm street, spending a few days in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. DeLong of Portland, Me. were business callers in Oneonta yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bence and Mrs. R. J. Mead were among the Schenectady visitors in Oneonta yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Thompson are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson for a day or two.

Mrs. F. Schenk of Cooperstown spent yesterday at the home of Mrs. Adelle Parker of Taft avenue.

George M. Simmons of Richmondville visited his father, Dr. G. W. Simmons, in Oneonta, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson returned yesterday from a month's motor trip through Cape Cod and Maine.

Miss Mae Simmons of Huntington is visiting at the home of her cousin, Miss Margaret DuMont, of 24 Broad street.

Mrs. Jacob Vanderloo of Albany returned home Thursday after a visit with Mrs. A. W. Carroll, 2 Watkins avenue.

Mrs. Harold W. Warfield of Endicott is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Hubbell, on Oneonta street.

Miss Hannah Kelley of Scranton has returned home after visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. Hammett, 62 Main street.

Mrs. R. J. Gladby of Binghamton returned home last evening after a visit at the home of B. E. Davis on Academy street.

Miss Claudine Hendry of West End is spending the week with friends in New Lisbon, South Hartwick, Mt. Vernon and Leavenworth.

Miss Helen E. Potter of 51 Ford avenue left yesterday for Albany to visit at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. G. Helzer, for a few days.

Mrs. Alice Gecker, who had been spending a few days with Miss Beattie Phaddock, 28 Dietz street, returned yesterday to her home in Middleburgh.

Mrs. Martha Newport and Miss Katherine Newport of Albany, who had been visiting the Misses Newport at 42 Cliff street, returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. C. E. Ford of Hemstead, L. I., arrived in Oneonta last evening, being called to this city by the serious illness of her brother, Levant W. Seeger, at his home on Elm street.

Miss Thera Oldes of 19 South Sand street returned last evening from Alton, where she has been spending the past two weeks visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William O'Rourke.

E. D. Lewis returned last evening from New York, to which city earlier in the week he had accompanied Mrs. E. M. H. Gates, who for several weeks had been a guest at Colliercroft.

Mrs. W. C. Hanford of 4 Maple street left yesterday for Milford to attend during the afternoon and evening an all day Presbyterian meeting at the Milford Presbyterian church.

Mrs. J. J. Donnelly and son, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. F. A. Barrett, motored from New York city last Thursday for a few days' visit with Miss J. E. Snyder, 315 Main street.

John Quigley of Oneonta who is employed by the Corn Products company, left yesterday for a week's sojourn at Rockaway Beach, at which place he will be joined by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gage of Adams, Mass., who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sauter of South Side and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brackett of South Side, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Giles and children of Northville arrived in Oneonta Wednesday evening and were guests of Mrs. Giles' mother, Mrs. C. J. Munroe on South Side. They will remain in Oneonta for about two weeks.

Earl Barnes of New York city, who has many attractions have appeared at the Oneonta theatre and who is now associated with Klaw & Erlanger, is the guest for a few days of Manager and Mrs. E. R. Moore in this city.

Following an outing spent in the Adirondacks.

Mrs. William Yates of 10 Center street returned home from Chateaufort yesterday, after spending a week with relatives. She so attended the wedding of her niece Miss Fannie Whipple, who was married Tuesday at the Methodist Episcopal church at Varna.

to Franklin Monroe. The bride for several years has spent her summer vacations in Oneonta and is well known in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lippman and Miss Daisy Belle Reeves of Bay Side, L. I., who have been visiting C. A. Munson at North Franklin, are spending three days with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moore in this city and will return home Friday.

Mrs. Marcia Mulder of 75 Ford avenue left yesterday for Roslyn, L. I., to visit her son, Walter J. Mulder, for a week. Miss Ada Bates and Miss Emma Bates of Oneonta will occupy Mrs. Mulder's residence during her absence.

Harry Mack, agent for Polly and Her Pals, a cartoon newspaper comedy which has been musicalized for the stage and appears at the Oneonta theatre, Friday, Sept. 2, was in this city last evening, the guest of Manager R. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Shew, Miss Katharine Shew and Miss Marion Clark of Hunter were in Oneonta Thursday to meet the former's son, Charles E. Shew, teacher in the Culver, Ind., military academy, who will be their guest for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving H. Rowe and Miss Viola D. Newton have returned from Fourth lake, in the Adirondacks, where they had been spending a few days with Miss Alice V. Newton, who is a nurse at Clifton Springs, but who is spending the month of August at Fourth lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briggs of Richmond Hill, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. C. Jahn of 3 Reynolds avenue and Mrs. A. J. Yager of 274 Chestnut street and spending some time in camp at Goosevark lake, left yesterday for Hudson City, where they will visit for a few days before returning home.

### Will Be Married at Lenapeport.

Joseph Lattel of Davenport and Mrs. Mary Hall of Cooperstown Junction were in Oneonta yesterday on the way to Lenapeport Pa., where they will be married after making a trip through Poughkeepsie, Kingston and the Hudson valley they will return to Davenport where they will reside.

Don't confuse "cheap" and "inexpensive." High grade brand butterine is not dear but its quality is of the finest.

Short order cook wanted at Cloverleaf lunch, 25 Chestnut street.

For Sale—Seasoned hardwood. Hay & VanBuren, Phone 352.

# Advance Fall Models

The usual Mathews assortment of new fall garments, but more elaborate. Choice selection of the very latest creations, combining style and quality, reasonably priced.

The favorable facilities of our New York buying organization make the assemblage of these extraordinary values possible.

## LADIES' SUITS

Plain Tailored  
Ripple Effects  
New Straight Models  
Embroidered Styles  
Fur Trimmed Creations

## LADIES' DRESSES

Silhouette Models  
Embroidered and Beaded  
Straight Tailored  
Fancy Trimmed  
Plaited Effects

## MEN'S SUITS

Swagger styles of the latest make, splendidly tailored in all the newest patterns of durable materials.

The purchase of these desirable raiments is greatly facilitated by our Pay As You Earn Plan—the method that made this store the most popular shopping center in Oneonta.

SAVE IN ONEONTA AT

**The Mathews Co., Inc.**  
236 MAIN STREET



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Camels, Carton of 200	\$1.50	Chesterfields, Carton of 200	\$1.50
Lucky Strikes, Carton of 200	\$1.50	Farinas, Carton of 200	\$1.95

15c, 2 IN 1 SHOE POLISH  
ALL COLORS  
10c

5 GR. ASPIRIN TABLETS  
100 FOR  
49c

EPSOM SALTS  
PURE CRYSTALS  
2 LBS. FOR 16c



Physicians recommend American Mineral Oil for chronic constipation and bowel trouble. San Tox American Mineral Oil is pure and will produce the proper results. Buy a bottle today 75c

**SAN TOX HAIR TONIC**  
\$1.00

**\$1.00**  
For Your Old Fountain Pen

We want you to use a Sheaffer Fountain Pen.

So we will give you one dollar for your old pen if you buy a new Sheaffer. Sheaffer Pens do not leak and will always write.

Bring in your old pen today. Use an Ever-sharp Pencil—always sharp—never sharpened. \$1.00 up

50c Stationery for 39c  
3 for \$1.00

**SAN TOX AFTER SHAVE TALCUM**  
25c

## Week-End Bargains on Sale At These Prices For Friday and Saturday Only—Shop At Our Store and Save Money

P. D. Q. .... 32c	Fletcher's Castoria ... 29c
Epsom Salts, lb. .... 15c	Milk's Sugar Milk .... 65c
2 lbs. .... 16c	Fellow's Syrup .... \$1.97
Wampoles Cod Liver Oil 79c	Lusterine .... 79c
Pebecco Toothpaste .... 39c	Bromo Seltzer .... 47c
Pepsodent Toothpaste .... 39c	Hay's Sulphur and Sage .... 45c
Woodbury's Soap .... 23c	Hay's Hair Health .... 59c
Cuticura Soap .... 23c	Hay's Rose Cold Cream .... 45c
Palmyra Soap, doz. .... 99c	Hay's Eau De Cologne .... 45c
American and Russian Mineral Oil, per pint \$1.00	Hay's Cream of Almonds and Honey .... 45c

60c HOWARD'S BUTTERMILK CREAM 49c

BATHING CAPS VALUES UP TO \$1.50 39c

In order to get you better acquainted with SAN TOX, we offer you FREE a 50c jar of

**Enchantment Talc**  
With the Purchase of \$1.50 of SAN TOX Goods

We guarantee San Tox to give absolute satisfaction.

Visit our Soda Fountain and Luncheonette—it's clean, tasty and reasonable. Extra Specials each Friday and Saturday.

**Miller-Strong Drug Co.**  
227 Main Street  
A Warm Lunch for the business person from 11:30 to 2:00 and 5:30 to 7.



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Always have a Kodak with you on trips so that you will be ready to snap an interesting scene which you will be pleased to show the folks at home.

All size films. Buy enough to last.

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**SAN TOX NUTRITIVE IRON TABLETS TONES UP THE RUN DOWN SYSTEM \$1.00**

### At Our Rubber Department

is the place to buy reliable Rubber Goods at reasonable prices. We recommend only the highest quality, as we can guarantee each and every piece to give entire satisfaction. Water Bottles, Syringes, Invalid Rings, Hospital supplies of all kinds.

**Rubber Gloves For Household Use**  
We have a lot of good Gloves in all sizes 25 per cent off this week-end. Buy today.







## FAST TILL SUNDOWN

Muslims Observe Ramadan by 28 Days of Fasts.

Place for Table When Gun Sounds Signal—British Navy Practice Feels Them.

Constantinople.—Muslims have just been observing Ramadan, a month of fasts to all classes, especially to laboring men, who are supposed to go without food, drink and tobacco from sundown to sundown.

Turkish restaurants are watched carefully by Mohammedan police-men, who are instructed to arrest customers and owners alike if any of the followers of Allah violate the laws of the Koran. Consequently Christian restaurants, and especially those which have private rooms, become very popular with Mohammedans during the 28 days which are supposed to be given over to fasting and prayer.

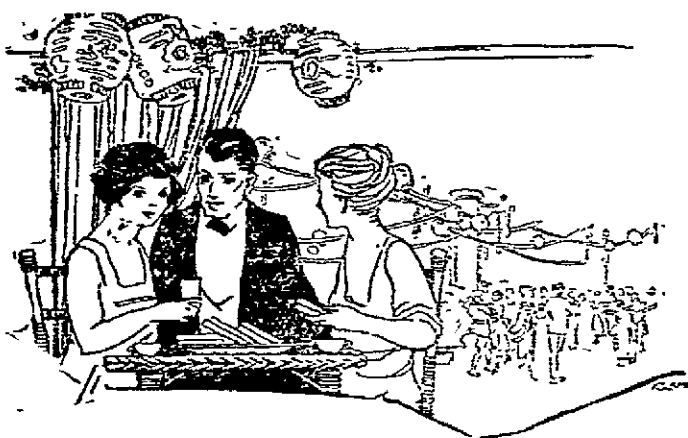
Big guns are fired in Constantinople to indicate sundown and the rust of Turks to coffee houses and restaurants approaches a riot in Istanbul and other Turkish sections of Constantinople. Recent evening target practice of the British fleet has frequently been confused many times intentionally—with the food gun and Muslims have broken their fast ahead of time.

Hot weather has made Ramadan especially trying, as the followers of the great prophet are not even supposed to drink water during daylight hours. Fasting makes the Turks so irritable and impatient that it is extremely difficult to transact business with them. Ramadan is a less trying period to Turkish men and women, who are unemployed, as they merely sleep through the day and turn night into a time of feasting. Throughout Ramadan all the minarets of Constantinople are ablaze with electricity. The Turkish streets are crowded at night, bands play everywhere and firecrackers are discharged wherever the allied military officers do not prevent.

**Eternal Things.**  
The destruction of a dark star is its rebirth into life again. It is ground to dust in a swarm of meteors and star-stuff, and its remnants are recreated into a new system of sun and worlds. Matter is eternal, space is eternal, and time is eternal, and so far as can be learned, life is eternal also.—Chicago Tribune.

**When** you are "wide awake as an owl" at night, and can't "keep your eyes open" in the daytime you certainly need

**BEECHAM'S PILLS**  
Self-poisoning by imperfectly eliminated food-poisons is a very common ailment.



## Your best hot-weather "Eats" --- Sandwiches

In the good old summer-time, your body needs food that is light—but highly nutritious, of course. Sandwiches are the ideal solution. Serve sandwiches—with a fruit also or ice-cream. There you have refreshment to the queen's taste and at the same time you're certain of honest-to-goodness food!

If you wish them to be specially delectable for the picnic or party party, remove the crusts neatly with a sharp knife. Here are a few that will appeal for deliciousness:

### Strawberry Sandwiches.

Bread should be cut into small, even, thin slices. Spread with strawberry jam and spread with sliced strawberries. Sprinkle with powdered sugar and cinnamon and serve on a platter. These should be made just before time to serve.

### Chicken and Olive Sandwiches

Cut the desired number of slices of bread, and on half of these lay thinly sliced pieces of chicken. Over the chicken spread a mixture of minced olives moistened with mayonnaise. These should be made just before time to serve.

### Watermelon Sandwiches.

Spread between thin slices of bread a mixture made as follows: One-half cup of water, six teaspoons of minced watermelon, one teaspoon of lemon juice. These sandwiches should be thoroughly creamed. Slices need not be buttered.

For the Bread-goodness that is the foundation of sandwich-making, insist on the loaf fullest of bread-flavor and deliciousness—

## "Nu" Bread

**NYE'S BAKERY**  
CHESTNUT STREET

## MICKIE SAYS

WHAMMAY? DID I HEAR A VOICE HOLLERIN' FER LI'L MICKIE? REMEMBER, POLKE, I'M READY TO GALLOP TO ANY PLACE IN TOWN AFTER ADS ER JOBBYWORK. MOST ANY TIME—AN' IF I'M TOO BUSY, I'LL SEND TH' BOSS!



## CRUSOE'S ISLAND AS A PARK

Chilean Government May Make a Pleasure Resort of Castaway's Home.

Honolulu, Hawaii.—Robinson Crusoe's cave may soon be converted into sleeping quarters for globe trotters, according to Prof. W. A. Bryan, vice-president of the Hawaiian Historical society. The Chilean government, Prof. Bryan said, is considering creating a national park and tourist resort on the island of Juan Fernandez, famed as the abode of Alexander Selkirk, the shipwrecked sailor, on whose castaway career Daniel Defoe based his novel.

Modern hotels and other attractions would be erected on the island, according to plans being considered. The beauty and verdure of the island, Mr. Bryan says, is similar to the oldest part of the Hawaiian Islands.

Two nights were spent by Prof. Bryan recently in Selkirk's cave. He is at present in the south seas seeking proofs of his theory of a submerged continent in the Pacific.

**Two Find Petrified Monster.**  
Salt Lake City, Utah.—A monster petrified fish, about fifty feet in length, has been discovered encased in the rocks in Garfield county, Utah, about seventy miles of Paigulitch.

### Clouds.

Off the cloud which wraps the present hour comes but to brighten all our future days.—John Brown.

### True Liberty.

True liberty can exist only when justice is equally administered to all.—Lord Mansfield.

## CAN'T TEACH OLD DOG NEW TRICKS

Britisher Wear American Coat Shirt? No, Sir-ee, It Simply Can't Be Done.

## FIRMLY AGAINST OUR STYLE

Englishman Wants to Slip Garment on Over His Head, and He Wants the Collar Button to Touch His Neck, Too.

London.—"You can't teach an old dog new tricks" is true when it comes to the question of how an Englishman puts on his shirt. Just a few minutes ago the writer went into a haberdashery shop in the Strand.

"Do you want your shirt cut English fashion or American?" asked the fitter.

"Why, what's the difference?" he was asked.

"You see, an Englishman won't have a coat shirt; he wants to slip it on over his head," said the shirtmaker.

The fitter then told of several incidents about his countrymen who came into this particular shop. The other day one customer was thoroughly angry. He had been sold a dozen American coat shirts.

"I can't get into them," he said. "All right, we will sew them up," said the shirt fitter.

Another Englishman had bought some American shirts and came back with them in a very bad temper.

"What do you mean by selling me shirts without a collar buttonhole in the back?" was his objection. "Why, I had to cut a hole through with a penknife."

The polite salesman tried to show his customer the benefit of the American shirt; how fine it was not to have the collar button touch the neck. But he would have none of those kind of shirts.

"Why," said he, "I can't reach the back of my neck to put the button in."

"You don't have to," said the fitter. "put it in before you put your shirt on."

That made the Britisher angry. "I won't do it," he said. "I always put my collar buttons in after my shirt is on my back. And I won't have you tell me how to do it."

**Bars Hangers on Shirts.**  
Though unconvincing on that point the salesman tried to tell the Englishman how fine it was to wear a coat shirt; that it didn't ruffle up one's hair when put on. "No, you can't sell me those shirts," I comb my hair after I put my shirt on. Besides," said this customer, "I don't want hangers on my shirts."

The writer told shopkeepers that coat shirts had not had a long history in America. "Well, you see," said he, "an Englishman learns how to put on a shirt when a little boy, and he won't change."

This particular shop has a customer who has bought the same color shirts for forty years, and he insisted on that color all during the war. Another customer for sixty years, now dead, always bought one color of neckties—red.

**Races a "Function."**  
One London paper has a paragraph about Walter Hagen taking off his sweater just as he was about to make a drive. It simply isn't done here. Rather serious criticism greeted the first appearance of the American tennis players because they dressed so sloppily. An Englishman has his trousers pressed for tennis just as he has them pressed for dinner, and he usually wears a beautiful blue coat with brass buttons when he plays.

The writer asked an English friend why he always wore a silk hat and cutaway to the races. "Well, you see, it's a function and I must," he replied.

All these differences were discussed by a group last night. The Americans rather convinced the Englishmen of the advantages of American shirts, but very reluctantly. One of the group whom the Americans thought convinced blurted out: "Well, you see, those coat shirts wear out quicker in the laundry." What can you do with that kind of man?

W. Pitt-Rivers, the English writer and novelist, said the Americans would better change the subject. So he asked what was the difference between the English speech and the American. Somebody said the American speech was a lot better. "Yes, yes," he said. "Only you stick to the essential word. Your 'the' and 'to,' etc."

Another Englishman said: "We will settle it this way. Your shirts are better and speech worse. But in both things we break about even. But do you know what John Hay said when he returned from the embassy here? All credit to Hay's speech. Here it is: 'I never saw a stiffer fight in England. I never heard a stiffer fight in England. I never heard a stiffer fight in England. I never heard a stiffer fight in England.'"

**Pearl Instead of a Boil on Man's Neck**

Twenty years ago, James Langdon of Clifton Heights, Pa., ate some oysters. One of the knives had a pearl which Langdon swallowed. He never gave the incident a thought until a few days ago when he had severe pains in a small lump in his neck. Langdon thought the lump was a boil, so he squeezed it, and the pearl broke through the skin, ending Langdon's pains.

231  
MAIN  
STREET

# SHEAR & SHARPING

NEXT TO  
WILBER  
NATIONAL  
BANK

## SEASON-END SALE

**FIRE!**—A Decree issued by the management of this store reads—All Summer Footwear MUST GO and GO QUICKLY—Slaughter Prices that will move them quickly—Give Oneonta people such bargains that they cannot resist buying.

The above order is the reason for this sale. We are going to obey orders and beginning today will proceed to close out the entire stocks of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Low Shoes at such ridiculously low prices that everyone will feel impelled to purchase, not only for the present needs, but for next season as well.

**Remember This Sale Starts Friday, Aug. 28th and Continues One Week**

**Just Six Days for You to Harvest These Bargains**

All Men's and Ladies Low Shoes, selling all season up to \$8 and \$9 ..... **\$4.84**

All Men's and Ladies' Low Shoes, selling all season up to \$6 and \$7 ..... **\$3.84**

All Men's and Ladies' Low Shoes, selling all season at \$4 and \$5 ..... **\$2.84**

**10 Per Cent Discount**

We will allow ten per cent discount on all other Men's, Ladies' and Boys' Work or Dress Shoes.



# COOPERSTOWN FAIR

**August 31, September 1-2-3**

**Biggest Ever Three Exhibition Days**

The best that can be secured in Attractions—Boxing Matches, Balloon with triple parachute drop, Acrobatic Comedy Acts, Merry-Go-Round, Ferris Wheel and other entertainments for the kiddies.

**\$2,400 in Race Purses—Entrance money back to winners That makes them go to WIN**

**Largest Grand Exhibit in the County**  
One Building devoted exclusively to Exhibit of Junior Extension Work  
**Best Pure Bred Stock Show in Southern New York**

**Speakers—Sept. 1, George R. Fitts, a real Farmer with a message for Farmers. Sept. 2, Senator William H. King of Utah. Sept. 3, Senator James W. Wadsworth, Jr., of New York.**

**Give the Family an outing at a Real Fair**

EXCURSION RATES ON TROLLEY COOPERSTOWN AND RETURN

Oneonta	\$1.39	Hartwick	.48	Richfield Springs	.98
West Oneonta	1.23	Index	.16	Jordanville	1.23
Laurens	1.01	Fly Creek	.32	Henderson	1.39
Mt. Vision	.75	Schuyler Lake	.64	Mohawk	1.76

ALL RATES PLUS WAR TAX



**HANDICRAFT  
FOR BOYS**

By A. NEELY HALL.  
Author of "The Handy Boy," "The Handy  
Craftsman," "The Handy Boy's Handy  
Boys," etc.  
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**A HOMEMADE FLY TRAP.**

Flies breed in filth—garbage, stable refuse and decayed vegetable and animal matter, strewn about alleys and lots, or left exposed in uncovered receptacles, their very existence points to neglected clean-up work which should be given our immediate attention to prevent the spread of disease germs. Make and set several fly traps like that shown in Fig. 1—a most excellent form of trap

**OUCH! SUCH PAIN!**  
It Takes You Right in the Back!

SOMETIMES IN  
THE ARM, HIP  
OR FOOT.

It's all due to an over-abundance of that poison called uric acid. The kidneys are not able to get rid of it. Such conditions you can readily overcome, and prolong life by taking Anuric. This can be obtained at almost any drug store, in tablet form.

Thurman, N. Y.—"I had been a great sufferer of lumbago, at times for about thirty years. I tried several doctors but they did me no good. I also tried a patent medicine available but they failed, too. Hearing of Dr. Pierce's Anuric I decided to send for this medicine and to give it a thorough trial to see if I could obtain relief. I was suffering so from pain. I at once procured the Anuric Tablets and began taking them. They gave me relief right away. When I had finished taking one large size bottle of the tablets I was completely cured."—ARCH BAKER.

**406 SHIPS FOR SALE**

Government Seeks to Dispose of  
Wooden Vessels

One of the Most Difficult Problems  
Now Facing the United States  
Shipping Board.

Washington.—Disposal of more than 1,500,000 tons of wooden shipping—406 vessels of various types—built as a part of the government's war-time merchant marine program, is one of the most difficult problems facing the shipping board.

Twenty-one of the craft, aggregating \$2,000 deadweight tons, were offered recently, but no buyers were found.

Only 124 of these wooden craft are now in operation. Seventy-three are tied up at various ports under managing caretakers and 139 are in storage yards. One hundred and seven of these in "storage" are finished hulls, while 32 are converted barges.

Officials of the board say that when the serviceability of the wooden fleet has been demonstrated little difficulty will be experienced in turning it over to private ownership at about \$90 a ton. These vessels were built in an emergency, many of green timber, and some of them made poor showings a year and two years ago, but now that they have "seasoned" officers of the board consider them practicable cargo carriers.

Because of the bad record of some of the vessels, operators have condemned them all, officials declare, whereas the records of those now in operation show very creditable performances. One wooden ship out of six round trips across the Atlantic, at sea 300 days and in port an equal number, was laid up for repairs only 22 days.

To date 532 wooden and composite ships, aggregating 1,045,230 deadweight tons, consisting of 322 cargo ships, 1 tanker, 115 finished hulls, 10 sailing craft, 53 hulls converted into barges and 29 standard barges, have been delivered to the board. A total of 114 of these vessels, aggregating 357,255 deadweight tons, has been sold and 12 totaling 44,546 tons have been lost at sea.

The total cost of the construction of this fleet, estimated by the board at \$170 a deadweight ton, was approximately \$33,000,000. Sale of the 1,500,000 tons now held by the board at \$50 a ton would yield \$75,000,000.

These already sold brought about \$28,000,000, so that if the \$46 remaining in the government's possession are disposed of to private owners the total loss through the wooden ship venture would be something like \$170,000,000.

**Indispensable.**

Whitney Carl, our town marshal, says a big bunch of keys is absolutely indispensable to the equipment of a first class loafer.—Arkansas Thomas Crt.



You will recognize the  
"JERSEY  
Difference"  
as soon as  
you try the  
**JERSEY  
Corn Flakes**  
The Original Thick Flakes  
Ask your grocer

covers to the center for bait pans. Fig. 2 shows how the bait-pan base should be placed so there will not be more than a half-inch opening between its side edges and the edges of side strips B, for the flies to enter through. The base need not be fastened to the upper part, but the two enclosures should hook together so they will not separate when removed for killing the flies.

Nail a crosspiece (G, Fig. 2) across the tops of ends C to brace them and keep the screen-wire taut, and make a handle of a screw-eye (H) with a peg (I) run through it.

Papyrus Dated 1100 B. C.

A papyrus on geometry dated 1100 B. C. has been preserved from ancient Egypt.

**White Elephant.**

Isn't it a pity that a man never can dispose of his motor experience for as much as it cost him?

**Fowler Dry Goods Co. THE BOSTON STORE****First Anniversary Sale****On Saturday We Inaugurate Our First Annual Anniversary Sale**

It is just one year ago today we opened our Oneonta store; and in acknowledgment of the appreciation of the loyal and hearty support of our friends and patrons in contributing to our success, we have planned a royal bargain feast that will at once appeal to all who appreciate values.

We have made drastic reductions throughout the entire store. Every article offered is from our own regular high-grade stocks, and all carry the usual Fowler Guarantee of service and quality. Read every item of this advertisement, then come to the store and see for yourself the values to be had.

**SALE STARTS SATURDAY --- CONTINUES TEN DAYS****Extraordinary  
Silk  
Values**

36-inch Satin Messaline in black and navy blue—a wonderful bargain; \$3.50 value; anniversary sale price ... \$1.93

40-inch all-Silk Crepe de Chine, in black, navy, Copenhagen, light blue, flesh, white and rose; \$3.00 grade; anniversary sale price ... \$1.69

40-inch Silk Georgette Crepe in light and dark shades; \$2.75 value; anniversary price ... \$1.85

36-inch black and navy blue Taffeta Silk; \$2.75 quality; anniversary sale price ... \$1.89

**Wonderful Values  
Dress Goods**

54-inch Wool Serges in seven handsome shades; regular \$3.95 values; anniversary sale price ... \$2.77

One lot Cotton Warp Dress Goods, in black and colors; 36 inches wide; 85c and \$1.00 quality; anniversary sale price ... 72c

One lot School Plaids in dark colors; 59c quality; at ... 42c

**Muslin, Sheeting, Sheets, Pillow  
Cases, Breadspreads, Blankets,  
Comfortables, Table  
Damaske**

36-inch Bleached Hill Muslin; anniversary sale price ... 34c

36-inch Unbleached Muslin; sale price ... 22c

72x90 Pequot Sheets, \$2.69 value, at ... \$2.29

81x90 Pequot Sheets, \$2.59 value, at ... \$2.47

8-4 Bleached Pequot Sheet- ing; anniversary sale price 87c

9-4 Unbleached Pequot Sheet- ing ... 87c

42x36 inch Pequot Pillow Cases; anniversary sale ... 59c

45x36 Pequot Pillow Cases; anniversary sale price ... 62c

Long Cloth, yard wide, extra good quality; anniversary sale price ... 33c

325 Dimity Striped Bed Spreads; anniversary sale price ... \$2.75

750 Satin Damask Bed Spreads, scalloped edge and cut corners ... \$5.50

400 large size hemmed Bed Spreads; anniversary sale price ... \$3.25

475 Bed Spreads, 75x88, scalloped edge and cut corners ... \$3.95

**BLANKETS**

66x80 handsome Plaid Bed Blankets, very light and warm; \$7.50 value, at ... \$5.95

Large size Double Bed Blankets, in brown, grey or white; extra good value at ... \$4.50

800 grey Bed Blankets, extra large size; anniversary sale price ... \$6.95

Single Bed Blankets, grey or white; sale price ... \$2.25

**FLANNELS**

Outing Flannel in plain grey and dark colored stripes; anniversary sale price ... 33c

36-inch white Outing Flannel, extra heavy; 50c value, at 42c

500 yards light colored striped Outing Flannel; 45c quality, at ... 39c

Men's Canvas Gloves, with knit wrists; a pair ... 9c

Men's heavy weight black Sox; 35c quality, at ... 25c

Men's heavy work Sox, 3 pairs ... 50c

Men's fine Mercerized Sox, Palm Beach color; 59c value at ... 39c

Men's Overall Jackets, 36, 38, 40 sizes; \$2.25 grade ... \$1.59

Bleached Table Damask, regular \$1.25; anniversary sale price ... 92c

**Silk Stockings**

25 dozen Women's black or white full fashion Silk Hose; good heavy weight; worth \$3.50, at ... \$2.69 and tax

\$1.49 Silk Stockings in white, black and brown; anniversary sale price 98c

One lot pure Silk Stockings, worth \$1.69; anniversary sale price ... \$1.33

Women's black or white Silk Stockings; anniversary sale price ... 89c

**Muslin Underwear**

Women's black or white Silk Boot Envelope Chemise; \$2.25 values, at ... \$1.77

Women's Night Gowns in white or flesh. \$2.50 values, at ... \$1.87

Women's Muslin Pants, embroidery, trimmed; special bargain at ... 59c

Children's Muslin Pants, worth 45c, at ... 33c

**FINE LACE**

Trimming Lace in white or Ecru—  
\$1.50 quality ... \$1.25  
\$1.25 quality ... \$1.09  
75 quality ... .79  
75 quality ... .65

**RIBBONS**

Pink or blue Nova Ribbons, wide width; 58c quality, at 44c

**CORSETS**

Women's and Misses' Corsets, very special at ... \$1.29  
Women's \$2.50 Athletic Corsets, in flesh color; anniversary sale price ... \$1.79  
Women's regular \$3.00 C. & B. Corsets; anniversary sale price ... \$2.59

**SKIRTS**

Women's Cotton Satin Wash Skirts, in white; to close at ... \$4.95

**SILK DRESSES**

Navy blue Taffeta Silk Dresses, made in late styles—

\$30.00 quality ... \$19.50  
25.00 quality ... 22.50  
20.00 quality ... 27.50

Late navy blue, Serge and Tricotine Dresses, wonderful values ... \$22.00

Plain blue or pink Wash Dresses; exceptional values, at ... \$7.95

**SILK WAISTS**

Women's and Misses' Georgette Crepe Waists, worth \$6.55 to \$7.50; anniversary sale price ... \$3.95

\$12.00 Crepe de Chine and Pussywillow Surt Waists; sale price ... \$7.95

**OVERALLS**

Men's heavy blue Denim Overalls, double stitched, \$3.00 value; anniversary sale ... \$2.39

Men's blue and white Striped Overalls, \$2.25 value; anniversary sale price ... \$1.59

**MEN'S APRONS**

Men's Carpenter and Shop Aprons, regular \$1.00 quality, at ... 79c

**SHIRTS**

Men's fancy Striped Dress Shirts, regular \$2.50 quality; anniversary sale price ... \$1.59

Men's \$2.00 dark colored Chambray Shirts, with collar attached; sale price ... \$1.59

Men's white Shirts, made coat style, soft front, sizes 14, 14½ ... 69c

**BUNGALOW APRONS**

Bungalow Aprons, dark colored with ribbon girdle; \$2.25 value; anniversary sale ... \$1.75

Women's Plaid Gingham Dresses, \$4.00 value; anniversary sale price ... \$2.95

**CHILDREN'S HOSE**

Children's Hose, in black, 5 1-2 to 9 1-2; 39c value, at 22c

Children's Mercerized Lisle Hose; fine ribbed; 59c value, at ... 44c

Men's Shirts and Drawers, dark grey mixtures; 75c quality; anniversary sale price 59c



## The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

### THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT.

THIS gigantic shaft, unique, imposing, dignified, yet simple to an extreme, is a most fitting and suitable memorial to the Father of Our Country. It occupies a site near the River Potomac, selected by the man whom it honors, in 1783.

The cornerstone was laid on July 4, 1848, and the last stone set on December 6, 1854. It was dedicated on February 21, 1885. The proportions of this mammoth obelisk are colossal. The foundation goes down 23 feet and is 35 feet square. The walls are 15 feet thick at the base, 12 feet thick at the top and taper one-fourth of an inch to the top; 23,000 stones were used. The cap stone weighs 3,500 pounds. It is 555 feet high and is said to be the highest monument in the world. The white marble used in its construction came from the quarries of Maryland. It is claimed that there is room enough in the interior to house an army of 12,000 men. The stairway to the top contains approximately 300 steps. An elevator makes the top easy to reach, so that all visitors may see and enjoy the magnificent view of the national capital, its historic surroundings and the romantically beautiful river the man it honors loved so well, which is visible in the bird's-eye view from the top. On a clear day, a prominent peak, Sugar Loaf, in the Blue Ridge mountains, fifty miles or more to the northwest, is plainly visible.

### Did Ye Ever Have 'Em?

Snakes are said to be so short-sighted that they are unable to see a distance of more than one-quarter of their own length.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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## SNAKE VICTIM GOES INSANE

Boy in Hospital at Poughkeepsie "Strikes," Then Writes Like a Serpent.

Poughkeepsie. — George Swenson, 19, who was in the hospital five days ill from the bite of a rattlesnake, became violently insane.

The boy suddenly threw himself through the air, as a snake would strike, crashing from his chair to the floor, where he crawled on his stomach, imitating the motions of a snake.

The nurses were terrified and called doctors. When they arrived, Swenson frothed at the mouth.

The physicians there say it is too early to determine whether his condition is due to the bite of the rattlesnake or is the outcome of a former mental state.

## AVENGE ESSAD PASHA

"Blood Brother" Is Ready to Keep His Oath.

Gambling Incident With Slain Albanian Cemented Friendship Long Ago.

Paris.—Vengeance for the assassination of Essad Pasha, head of the Albanian delegation here, is being quietly awaited by a "blood brother" of the Balkan leader, according to a circumstantial story by a French writer, published by the Excelsior.

This man, now rich and influential in France, the story goes, was one of several poor young men who 20 years ago met Essad Pasha, then known as the "Black Dagger of Abdel Hamid," in Constantinople, when he crowded into a card game and insisted upon playing with them. Fearing Essad Pasha, they protested they were too poor to play with him, but he insisted, emphasizing it by placing his revolver on the table as a threat.

To meet this, the "blood brother" put down his dagger, poisoned, he said. Essad Pasha showed his surprise, then his pleasure.

"Young man," he exclaimed, "this is the first time anyone has dared defy me. Men like you are rare."

Essad Pasha took his own dagger, opened a vein in his wrist and also in that of the young man, each sucked a few drops of blood from the other and they became "blood brothers," according to Albanian customs, sworn to avenge each other's deaths.

"I am ready," this "brother" now is quoted as saying, "to keep my oath, but I have confidence that French courts will make it unnecessary for me to interfere."

Rustem Aven, arrested on the spot for shooting down Essad Pasha as the latter was entering his automobile in the downtown district recently, is awaiting trial. He was a student who posed as the avenger of Albania's wrongs.

## The Perils of Cherry Picking.

Lawrenceburg, Ind.—The buzzing of a honey bee about his head resulted in serious injury to Anthony Steinmetz, aged 64, a retired farmer. Steinmetz was picking cherries, standing on a step ladder, when the bee resented his presence. While trying to fight the bee off his nose, Steinmetz fell twelve feet. His injuries consist of a cut head, both wrists broken and three ribs fractured.

## GREATEST PLANE MOTOR IN WORLD

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Capable of Driving Machine at 200 Miles an Hour, Says Designer, One of Liberty Motor Creators—Is Fireproof.

Detroit.—A new 500-000 horsepower airplane engine, the most powerful ever built in this country and the most powerful in the world except for a few racing freaks, has been completed here. It is expected to develop speeds far greater than anything yet achieved, in addition it is fireproof, and it can be started "cold" after a long drive, thus ending two of the greatest dangers that aviators have had to face.

This announcement was authorized by Col. Jesse G. Vincent, designer of the engine, who is known as one of the creators of the Liberty motor.

The new engine, in spite of its great power, is no freak. It is intended for steady, long-time service, either for heavy duty or for great speed, and is designed for American quantity production methods.

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While the men who are handling the new engine expect that it will push a plane at least 200 miles an hour, the engine was not designed for this purpose alone, and is capable of wide and general use. It weighs only 1,344 pounds per horsepower.

The lessons which Colonel Vincent learned during the war in his study of the actual performance of the Liberty motor, as well as of the best makes from both allied and enemy countries, are embodied in this design, and as a result there are several notable advances.

Most important is that the motor is fireproof for all civil purposes. This has been attained by putting the carburetor below and outside of the crank case, with all vents outside the cowling so that there is no possibility of conflagration from a back fire. This arrangement also has the advantages that it gives gravity feed, thereby eliminating the weight of extra piping and of the feed pump, and that it makes the carburetor much more accessible.

## Exhaust Valves Changed.

Another change has been providing two inlet and two exhaust valves for each cylinder, instead of one. The result has been a bigger and steadier flow of gas to the cylinders, and a very high mean effective pressure even at great speed. A double finger valve lift is used, and this permits changes in the cam-shaft and rocker-arm mechanism which make this engine much superior to any predecessor in the troublesome matter of leakage from the cam-shaft housing.

A third change is in the use of a single duplex carburetor, instead of the usual two carburetors. The difficulty of synchronizing the throttle and altitude controls of two carburetors has always been a bugbear to aviators.

## PRINCESS PURACHATRA



An excellent portrait of her royal highness, Princess Purachatra, wife of H. R. H. the Prince Purachatra, halfbrother to his majesty, the king of Siam. He is commissioner of Siamese railways.

but it had been felt that two or more were necessary to give the requisite flow of gas. It has been found in the tests, however, that this single duplex gives splendid economy and other details which in the opinion of Colonel Vincent, fully justify the design. He predicts that it will promptly become a universal practice with airplane engineers.

## IS BIGGEST ONE IN FLEET

Admiral Rodman of the Pacific Squadron Will Soon Lose His Laurels to a Dog.

Seattle, Wash.—Admiral Hugh Rodman is soon to lose the distinction of being the biggest sailor in the Pacific fleet.

As soon as the Pyro, the new naval ammunition ship now preparing to put to sea at Bremerton, joins the fleet the Admiral's laurels will go, for one of the members of the Pyro's crew tips the scales at 270, just missing out the fleet commander. The corpulent one is neither officer nor enlisted man, but the ship's mascot, Commodore, a two-year-old Newfoundland dog owned by Lieut. F. F. Sale.

Commodore's mother, Queen, of New York, is said to be the heaviest female Newfoundland in the United States, and his father was a brother of Sir Ben, who weighs nearly 300 pounds.

## Time of Great Danger.

When any of the four pillars of government are mainly shaken or weakened—which are religion, justice, counsel and treasure—men need to pray for fair weather.—Bacon.

## Free Governments.

All free governments, whatever their name, are in reality governments by public opinion, and it is on the quality of this public opinion that their prosperity depends.—Lowell.

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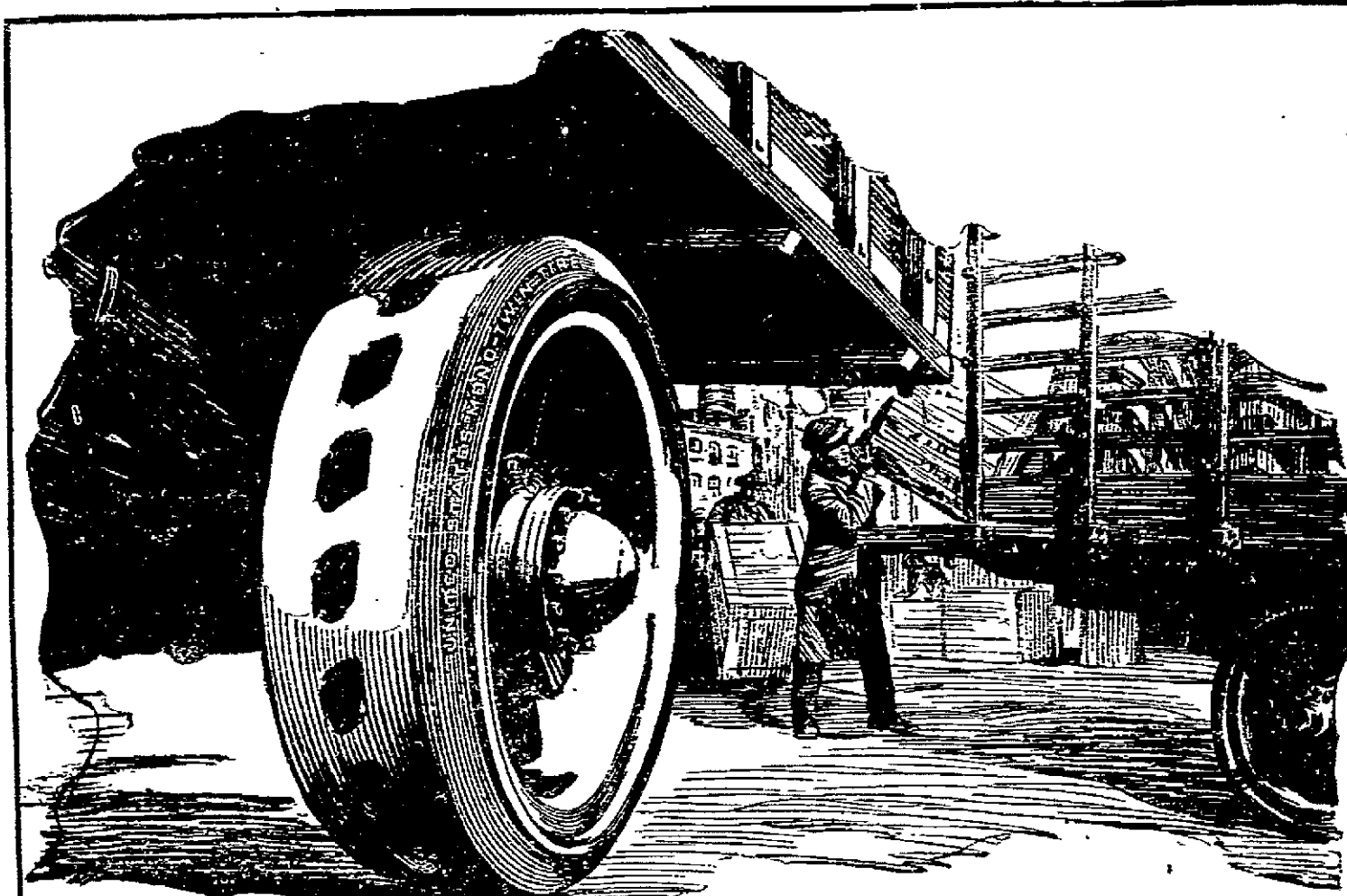
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## LISTS 'DON'TS' FOR BALLROOM

Britisher Says Good Waltzer Can Carry Cap of Ten on Head Without Spilling It.

London.—If you really are a good waltzer, you ought to be able to dance with a cup of tea on your head without spilling any, says Paymaster Commander A. M. Cree in his "Handbook of Ballroom Dancing."

The paymaster's voice is one of many raised in London against the so-called floppy antics.

And he has a word of warning for the women—they should never hang their chins on their partners' shoulders, but keep their heads steady and not let them go bobbing about in anxiety about a possible crash with other couples.

"If the bump is coming," says this dancing authority, "let it. You must trust yourself absolutely to the steering of the man."

Other dancing don'ts include avoidance of dipping the shoulders, rolling the body and pump-handle action with the arms in the one-step.

## THIRD OF CENSUS DATA OUT

Official Figures for Population of Nation Are Expected by October.

Washington.—Population of nearly a third of the cities and other incorporated places of the United States has been announced by the census bureau. Of the 14,186 cities and incorporated places in 1910 the population of 4,075 has been made public by the bureau. Population of a third of the 3,068 counties and subdivisions of the country also has been announced.

Four months have elapsed since tabulation of enumerators' schedules began and the first population announcement made. Orders have been issued to speed up this work in order to complete the country's fourteenth census within seven months and to permit announcement of the country's total population in October.

## Long Island Society Girl Becomes Motorcycle 'Cop'

Southampton, L. I.—Announcement was made that Miss Zelia de Milhau, society favorite and veteran of the world war, has been sworn in as a motorcycle policewoman in Suffolk county. In France Miss de Milhau won the Croix de Guerre, with star, and received citations from the town of Verherie and from three front line hospitals. At the opening of the war she equipped the ambulance donated by Southampton's citizens, and then drove it herself in France.

## SOKOLS HOLD SEVENTH 'SLET'

Writer Describes Unique Coloration at Prague.

## "ONE OF WORLD'S WONDERS"

Gathering of Society Men and Women Whose Aim Is Physical and Moral Perfection, and Well-Being of Their Nation—Subject to Strictest Discipline and Almost Spartan Code of Conduct, Chief Characteristics.

"Slet" is one of the seven marvels of the world. I do not know what the other six are, except that they belong to America, but I know that nowhere in the world can be seen anything like the scenes I witnessed during the last weeks of June.

They were unique, colossal, a marvel, a revelation, writes J. J. Zurek from Prague, Bohemia, to the Chicago Journal.

By "Slet" is meant the convention of the "Sokols," the society of men and women whose aim is physical and moral perfection and well being of their nation.

Voluntary subjection to strictest discipline, acceptance of almost Spartan code of conduct—these are the chief characteristics of the membership, besides the highest principles of personal honor. It was thus that the great marvel of the "Slet" was achieved. There were many features worth describing, but the one which brought all present down on their knees before the Sokol idea were the "prostrina," the calisthenics, given with music by 10,000 men at one time, followed by the same number of women. I have never longed for the descriptive power as I do now, so that I might give you at least a shadow of the wonderful spectacle.

Promptly at three, after the president of the Czechoslovak republic had taken his seat and the national anthem had been played, a cannon was fired to announce the beginning of the program. The Sokol band of 200 pieces began to play, and from the east and west two streams of men began to pour in, each like a living moving wall, and yet limpid like the water of Vltava itself. These divided into smaller units, gradually filling the field until they stood in fours, facing the grand stand and the president's box.

## Present Dazzling Sight.

At a given signal of their chief, Sokol Vanecek, they spread out, jumping sideways into their own places and stretching their arms sideways. This was done with promptness and exactness unequaled by anything anywhere. And the sight! The 20,000 bronzed arms, motionless and firm, the perfectly straight lines of white steveless shirts and blue trousers were dazzling.

I wept like a child. "How much self-sacrificing love was needed to accomplish this, what devotion to the high national ideal of perfect manhood and womanhood!"

The music struck again and the 20,000 hands struck graceful curves in the air, the legs and the bodies swayed in the most difficult combinations.

I would not have believed anything like this possible had I not seen it three times. It took that much to realize it was not a glorious dream, but actuality. And then came the women. Their "nastup," or getting into their places, was much prettier, more fancy, and their uniform more picturesque. They had white short-sleeved blouses, short navy blue skirts, dark stockings and red kerchiefs around their heads. The effect was one of inexpressible beauty, especially when they took their positions. It was a garden of poppies—a dazzling field of snow—all in one. And when they began their graceful movements with music they had the hundred thousand spectators, foreign and native, worshipping at their feet.

## Brave as Well as Graceful.

But these women sokols are not only graceful, they are brave and well disciplined. The first day it rained, but our brave sokols went through the program as if it were the nicest, clearest day, the men and women alike. And, which is just as remarkable, the audience did, too, not excepting the president and the guests.

I do not need to point out the meaning of the "Slet." Not only was it a proof of the positive genius of the Czechoslovak people, of their ability, of the efficiency of their Sokol training, but also of this, that there is in Bohemia a strong element—about half a million—which is willing and able to stand against disorder, against confusion, against anarchy.

Sokols are respected by all the political factions: they seem to be the soul of the nation, its home, its backbone. The influence of the Sokols is great. During the Slet, Prague was crowded to overflowing, the street cars were jammed, the chances for disorder were many. But there were no fights, no scenes of brawls, drunkenness or fighting. A word of a Sokol was enough to settle any trouble that might arise.

Lastly, the "Slet" brought many people to their senses, encouraged everybody, brought joy and enthusiasm into the gray days of care and struggle. If the people are happier, calmer and more hopeful, it is because there was the seventh "Slet" of the Sokols.

## Chinese Decorate Roof Ridge.

The roof ridge of a Chinese house is usually decorated with an elaborate plaster ornament in the form of a design, embodying the character "fu," signifying happiness. To prevent the ornament being damaged by birds the owner of the house sticks numerous ordinary sewing needles point outward into the soft plaster.

## MEMORY LOST FOR 25 YEARS

Mind Restored, Indiana Man Is Now Seeking Wife Who Has Remarried.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Alexander Bell's memory has been restored to him after a lapse of twenty-five years. The man formerly lived in Tell City, Ind.

Out in Haskell, Okla., the quiet routine of Mrs. A. R. Barr's life has been interrupted. She finds herself the wife of two men. Twenty-five years ago Alexander Bell left Tell City, Ind., to visit his brother at Chattanooga, Tenn. He found his brother had moved to this country, so the visitor set out through the woods to seek him. Nothing was heard from that time until he returned here recently.

After Mr. Bell's disappearance his wife went on with their general mer-

chandise business. Detectives in many states and the man's two sons searched the country for him. Later they searched South America, Cuba and Europe personally. Mrs. Bell followed a daughter to Oklahoma, met Mr. Barr and married him.

Mr. Bell can remember nothing of his life for the last twenty-five years. Following a spinal adjustment his memory returned and he began a search for his family. Because of poor health Mr. Bell has not been told of his wife's second marriage.

## Lines to Be Remembered.

I never did anything by accident nor did any of my inventions come indirectly through accident, except the phonograph. No, when I have fully decided that a result is worth getting, I go ahead on it and make trial after trial until it comes.—Thomas A. Edison.

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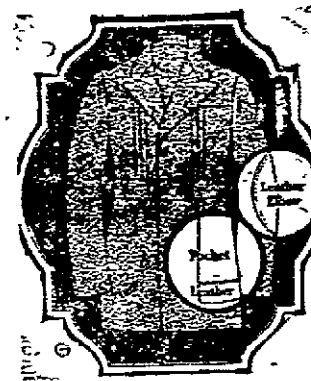
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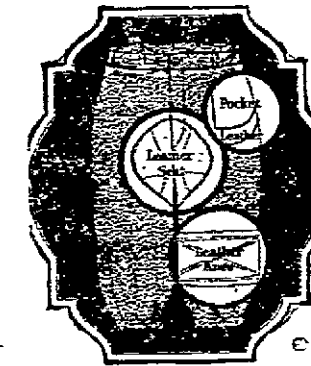
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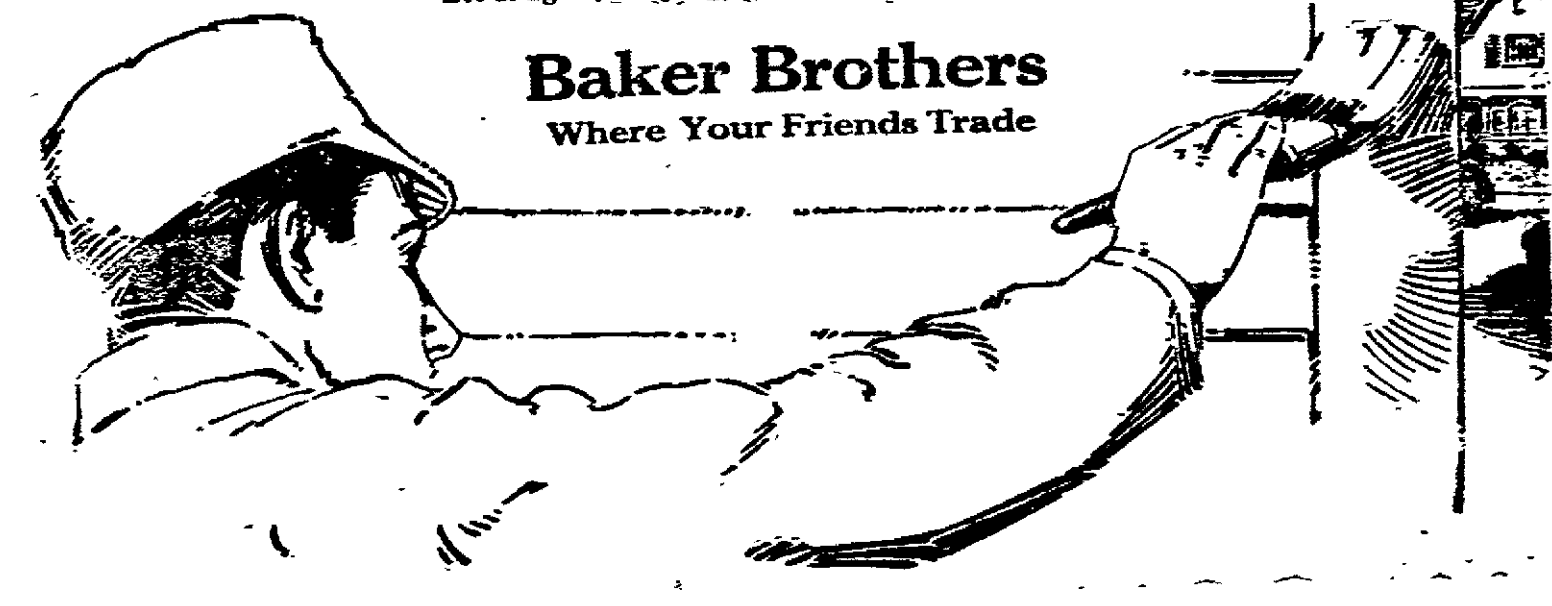


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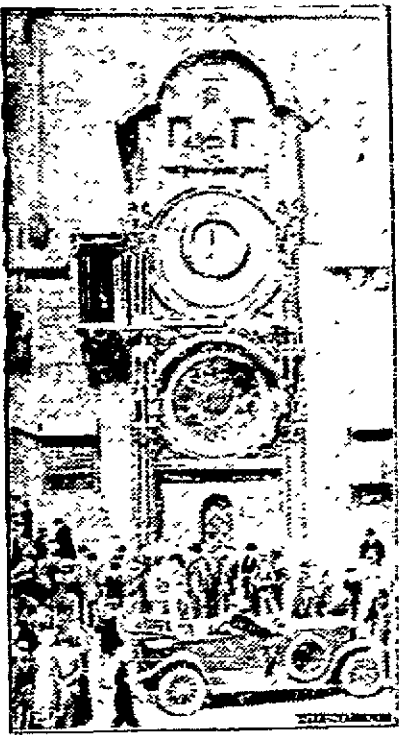
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## U. S. CRIMINAL IN ENGLAND

But Will Be Extradited to This Country to Face Charges of Embezzlement.

London, Aug. 25.—Leslie White Burdick, formerly connected with a bank and condensed milk concern in New York, pleaded guilty today in the Bow street court to two indictments found against him in the United States when he was brought up in extradition proceedings on a charge of "embezzlement and fraud by a banker or officer of a banking company within the jurisdiction of the United States government." The magistrate issued an order for the extradition of Burdick to the United States.

Burdick, formerly was president of the First National Bank of Gouverneur, N. Y., and secretary and treasurer of the Aurora Milk company of Canton, N. Y. The Aurora company went into bankruptcy about three years ago, and Burdick left Gouverneur about one year later. A dispatch from Watertown, N. Y., July 16, said it was understood five indictments had been found against Burdick by a federal grand jury, four charging embezzlement in connection with the Aurora company's failure and one for some transaction in New Jersey.

## Operation at Parshall Hospital.

Reuben Myers of Richmondville, who on Wednesday underwent an operation for adenoids and enlarged tonsils at the Parshall hospital, returned home yesterday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Orson Myers, who came with him to Oneonta. The operation was performed by Dr. Wharton of Richmondville.

## Guild Spends Happy Afternoon.

The annual picnic of St. James' guild was held at the camp of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoyt at Cliffside on Thursday. An excellent dinner was served at 1:30 and the afternoon was spent in boating, fishing and other diversions. The occasion was heartily enjoyed by all. The regular meetings of the guild will commence in September.

Would you wear a calico apron with an evening gown? Be consistent. When planning your fine dinner don't forget that no good meal is complete without Otsego coffee.

One hundred auto and motorcycle tires at cost. Stevens Hardware company.

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Empty truck from New York next week. Special price for return load. M. Johnson.

## PLAINS COMMUNITY PICNIC

Everybody Has Good Time at Wednesday's Event at Neahwa Park—Other News Notes of Interest at West End.

The community picnic held Wednesday at Neahwa park by the Plains Methodist church was a great success. All of the 25 and more people in attendance reported a delightful day. Shortly after noon, a beautiful dinner was served, which everyone found just suited his taste, and the "cast" disappeared rapidly, but there proved to be enough for all and everyone went away happy.

## Church People Motor to Laurens.

About 50 members of the congregation of the Elm Park Methodist church motored to Laurens Tuesday evening, where they attended evangelistic services being conducted there by Rev. and Mrs. E. F. VanHorne. Last winter the VanHorne party was at the Elm Park church for a few weeks and they left such a favorable impression that the church folk decided to pay them a visit Tuesday night. They report that Mr. VanHorne delivered an excellent sermon.

## Hus Adenoids and Tonsils Removed.

Helen Lorraine, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lorraine of 21 Morgan avenue, underwent an operation Tuesday at the Fox Memorial hospital for the removal of adenoids and enlarged tonsils. The operation, which was performed by Drs. McMennamin and Hendrick, was entirely successful, and Helen was able to return to her home late the same day.

## Mrs. Polhamus Has Serious Operation

Harry Howard of Kearney street received a telegram yesterday bringing the gratifying news that his sister, Mrs. Howard Polhamus of Syracuse, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Syracuse hospital for appendicitis and fibroid tumor, was resting comfortably and physicians believe her well on the road to ultimate recovery. Mrs. Polhamus formerly resided in this city and has numerous friends who will rejoice to learn that she is improving.

## Personal News.

Mrs. William Dougherty of West End avenue, accompanied by her uncle, Clifford Gilbert of Atlanta, Mich., who is her guest for two weeks, motored to Delhi Tuesday, where they were guests of Mrs. Dougherty's sister, Mrs. E. O. Harkness.

Mrs. John Simpson and two daughters, Evelyn and Isabelle, of Briar Cliff Manor, have returned home, after spending a few days with Mrs. Simpson's sister-in-law, Mrs. John Wayman, of 40 West End avenue.

George Rathbone and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Howard have returned from Binghamton, where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Rathbone's grandson, Darrell. Rathbone, who later showed improvement and is now believed to be on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith of Elygate, Va., left for their home Wednesday, after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lorraine of 31 Morgan avenue.

Mrs. A. J. Leonard of 420 Chestnut street is spending the week-end in Norwich, the guest of Mrs. Charles Taylor.

## Notice to Property Owners.

Notice is hereby given to owners or occupants of land located in the town of Otsego, Otsego county, N. Y., that it shall be the duty of such owners of land or occupants situated along the highway to cut and remove all obnoxious weeds or brush growing within bounds of such highway fronting such lands, during the month of August, 1920, according to section 54 of the consolidated highway laws and if such owners or occupants fail to remove such weeds or brush the town superintendent of the town in which such lands are located shall cause the same to be done and expenses incurred shall be charged against such owners or occupants and levied and collected as provided in section No. 55.

Dated, Aug. 25, 1920.  
(Signed) Anson S. Bouton,  
Superintendent of Highways,  
Town of Otsego.

## Dates of Vicinity Fairs.

Oneonta, September 20-24  
State fair, Syracuse, Sept. 13-18.  
Altamont, September 21-23.  
Binghamton, September 28-Oct. 1.  
Broome county, Whitney Point, August 10-12.  
Afton, September 14-17.  
Delhi, September 6-9.  
Watson, August 31-September 2.  
Herkimer, September 4-5.  
Cooperstown, Aug. 31-Sept. 2.  
Morris, October 5-8.  
Richfield Springs, September 27-30.  
Cobleskill, September 27-October 1.

## Miss Mayer Wins Golf Cup.

In the trials of the women's golf tournament at the Country Club this season, which were played off Wednesday afternoon, Miss Marguerite Mayer was victorious over Mrs. J. A. Dewar, two up and one to go. Miss Mayer thus gains possession of the tournament cup, which will bear her name for a year, or until next year's tournament takes place. This year's match aroused considerable interest, and a number of women members of the club participated.

## Poor Little Motorist.

Dickie, aged three, broke a wheel from his little wagon. "Now what shall I do?" he cried, "after miles from a garage and out of gas!"

## Daily Thought.

As "unkindness has no remedy at law," let its avoidance be with you a point of honor.—Hosea Ballou.

Wanted—At the Dairy Trench, dining room g. n. and cook.

## BELLARDINE WINS BY NOSE

S. G. Camp's Pacer Takes Fast Race at Norwich by Narrow Margin.

Norwich, Aug. 26.—Bellardine, S. G. Camp's pacer won the fast race in the fair here today, after losing the first two heats to Harper, owned by Henry Folts of Ilion. The first heat was a battle between Bellardine and Leon McKinney, owned by Myer Bros. of Towanda, Pa., until the home stretch, when Harper came from behind and by fast stepping took the heat. He also won the second. The third and fourth were taken by Bellardine and the fifth and final heat, with Bellardine and Harper only starting, was a sensational one, with first one and then the other ahead. Once Bellardine lost the pole, but afterward regained it. They came down the stretch neck and neck with indications of a dead heat. When close to the wire Camp crowded Bellardine and she just nosed out Harper in one of the best races ever seen on the grounds.

There were, it was estimated, 15,000 people on the grounds, easily the largest crowd in recent years at least. The fair closes on Friday with the racing events the 2:23 and 2:19 trot and the 2:17 trot. The score of the races today follow:

2:23 Trot—Purse \$300.  
Bonchato, Justice, Ilion 1 1 1  
Col. Mack, Fingland, Syracuse 2 2 2  
Dee Thinker, McMillan, Olyphant 6 3 3  
Prince Todd, Wade, New York 5 4 4  
Hollywood Constantine, Williams 3 5 5  
Dick Kelley, Dickenson 4 6 dr  
Time—2:13½, 2:21½, 2:22.  
2:12 Pace and 2:08 Trot.  
Bellardine, Camp 2 3 1 1 1  
Harper, Folts 1 1 2 3 3  
Leon McKinney, Myer 1 1 2 3 3  
Bros. 3 2 3 2 dr  
Time—2:13½, 2:12½, 2:15, 2:15½, 2:14½.

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Wanted—Dishwasher at the Dairy Trench.

File job printing at Herald office.

## FIRE AT EAST WORCESTER.

Barn of George W. Payne at Lower End of Village Destroyed Last Night.

At about 9 o'clock last evening the good-sized barn of George W. Payne just in the lower edge of the village of East Worcester was destroyed by fire, the origin of which could not be learned. The contents, which included about 20 tons of hay, two calves and a considerable quantity of grain and farming implements, were also destroyed. The loss will be about \$4,000, which is partially covered by insurance.

## THREE CHARGED WITH MURDER

New York, Aug. 25.—Three men are now under arrest charged with the murder of Frederick Eder, alleged liquor runner, whose body was found in an abandoned automobile early Saturday on Staten Island. Max Katz, Brooklyn chauffeur, was taken into custody today and held without bail on a homicide charge. Will Maroney, a hotel man, and Charles Kane, owner of the car in which Eder's body was found, were arrested a few days ago in connection with the killing.

## Osterhout Reunion.

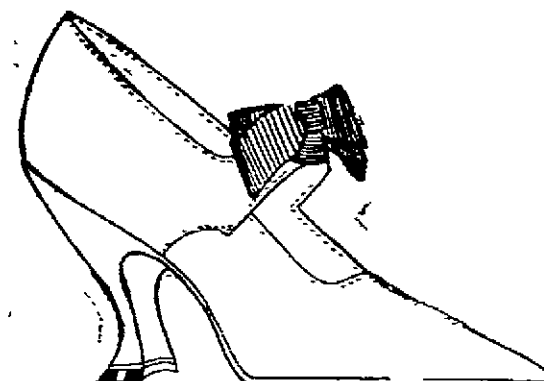
The children of Mrs. Sarah E. Osterhout and their families, with a few friends met Tuesday, August 24, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George W. Green, near Franklin, for their family reunion, and also to celebrate the 75th birthday of their mother. A pleasant time was spent, and all departed for their homes wishing mother a happy birthday, and that they might all meet again on the twenty-fourth of August for many years to come.

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# QUALITY SHOES SERVICE

## Friday and Saturday SPECIALS



### WOMEN'S

White Reighnskin Pumps, \$9 value for **\$6.85**

White Linen Pumps, Military and High Heels, \$5 value **\$3.85**

White Reighnskin Boots, High Heels, \$8 value for ..... **\$5.85**  
\$6 value for ..... **\$4.85**  
White Nu Buck Boots, Military Heels, \$11 value for ..... **\$8.85**  
White Reighnskin Boots, Military Heels, \$8 value for ..... **\$6.85**

Special Line, White Linen Boots, Military Heels, \$6 value for ..... **\$3.85**  
Black and Brown Oxfords, High Heels, \$9 values for ..... **\$6.85**  
Black and Brown Oxfords, Military Heels, \$9 values for ..... **\$6.85**  
Field Mouse Brown, Two Eyelet Ties, \$12 value for ..... **\$6.85**

### MEN'S

Black and Brown Oxfords, \$10 values for ..... **\$7.85**  
White Sport Oxfords, \$5 and \$6 values for ..... **\$2.69**  
Men's Scout Shoes, \$4 value for ..... **\$2.45**  
Tennis Bargains ..... **89c**  
Work Shoes, Black or Tan, \$5 values for ..... **\$3.85**  
Boys' Button and Lace Shoes, \$5 and \$6 values for ..... **\$4.85**

Children's White, High and Low Shoes **\$1.98**

Girl's White Shoes **\$2.98**

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